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Introduction to the Economic Census

PURPOSES AND USES OF THE ECONOMIC CENSUS

The economic census is the major source of facts about the structure and functioning of the Nation's economy. It provides essential information for government, business, industry, and the general public. Title 13 of the United States Code (Sections 131, 191, and 224) directs the Census Bureau to take the economic census every 5 years, covering years ending in 2 and 7.

The economic census furnishes an important part of the framework for such composite measures as the gross domestic product estimates, input/output measures, production and price indexes, and other statistical series that measure short-term changes in economic conditions. Specific uses of economic census data include the following:

- Policymaking agencies of the Federal Government use the data to monitor economic activity and assess the effectiveness of policies.
- State and local governments use the data to assess business activities and tax bases within their jurisdictions and to develop programs to attract business.
- Trade associations study trends in their own and competing industries, which allows them to keep their members informed of market changes.
- Individual businesses use the data to locate potential markets and to analyze their own production and sales performance relative to industry or area averages.

ALL-NEW INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATIONS

Data from the 1997 Economic Census are published primarily on the basis of the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), unlike earlier censuses, which were published according to the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system. NAICS is in the process of being adopted in the United States, Canada, and Mexico. Most economic census reports cover one of the following NAICS sectors:

- 21 Mining
- 22 Utilities
- 23 Construction
- 31-33 Manufacturing
- 42 Wholesale Trade
- 44-45 Retail Trade
- 48-49 Transportation and Warehousing
- 51 Information

- 52 Finance and Insurance
- 53 Real Estate and Rental and Leasing
- 54 Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services
- 55 Management of Companies and Enterprises
- 56 Administrative and Support and Waste
 - Management and Remediation Services
- 61 Educational Services
- 62 Health Care and Social Assistance
- 71 Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation
- 72 Accommodation and Foodservices
- 81 Other Services (except Public Administration)

(Not listed above are the Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting sector (NAICS 11), partially covered by the census of agriculture conducted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and the Public Administration sector (NAICS 92), covered by the census of governments conducted by the Census Bureau.)

The 20 NAICS sectors are subdivided into 96 subsectors (three-digit codes), 313 industry groups (four-digit codes), and, as implemented in the United States, 1170 industries (five- and six-digit codes).

RELATIONSHIP TO SIC

While many of the individual NAICS industries correspond directly to industries as defined under the SIC system, most of the higher level groupings do not. Particular care should be taken in comparing data for retail trade, wholesale trade, and manufacturing, which are sector titles used in both NAICS and SIC, but cover somewhat different groups of industries. The industry definitions discuss the relationships between NAICS and SIC industries. Where changes are significant, it will not be possible to construct time series that include data for points both before and after 1997.

For 1997, data for auxiliary establishments (those functioning primarily to manage, service, or support the activities of their company's operating establishments, such as a central administrative office or warehouse) will not be included in the sector-specific reports. These data will be published separately.

GEOGRAPHIC AREA CODING

Accurate and complete information on the physical location of each establishment is required to tabulate the census data for the states, metropolitan areas (MAs), counties, parishes, and corporate municipalities including cities, towns, villages, and boroughs. Respondents were

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required to report their physical location (street address, municipality, county, and state) if it differed from their mailing address. For establishments not surveyed by mail (and those single-establishment companies that did not provide acceptable information on physical location), location information from Internal Revenue Service tax forms is used as a basis for coding.

BASIS OF REPORTING

The economic census is conducted on an establishment basis. A company operating at more than one location is required to file a separate report for each store, factory, shop, or other location. Each establishment is assigned a separate industry classification based on its primary activity and not that of its parent company.

DOLLAR VALUES

All dollar values presented are expressed in current dollars; i.e., 1997 data are expressed in 1997 dollars, and 1992 data, in 1992 dollars. Consequently, when making comparisons with prior years, users of the data should consider the changes in prices that have occurred.

All dollar values are shown in thousands of dollars.

AVAILABILITY OF ADDITIONAL DATA

Reports in Print and Electronic Media

All results of the 1997 Economic Census are available on the Census Bureau Internet site (www.census.gov) and on compact discs (CD-ROM) for sale by the Census Bureau. Unlike previous censuses, only selected highlights are published in printed reports. For more information, including a description of electronic and printed reports being issued, see the Internet site, or write to U.S. Census Bureau, Washington, DC 20233-8300, or call Customer Services at 301-457-4100.

Special Tabulations

Special tabulations of data collected in the 1997 Economic Census may be obtained, depending on availability of time and personnel, in electronic or tabular form. The data will be summaries subject to the same rules prohibiting disclosure of confidential information (including name, address, kind of business, or other data for individual business establishments or companies) that govern the regular publications.

Special tabulations are prepared on a cost basis. A request for a cost estimate, as well as exact specifications on the type and format of the data to be provided, should be directed to the Chief of the division named below, U.S. Census Bureau, Washington, DC 20233-8300. To discuss a special tabulation before submitting specifications, call the appropriate division:

Manufacturing and Construction Division	301-457-4673
Service Sector Statistics Division	301-457-2668

HISTORICAL INFORMATION

The economic census has been taken as an integrated program at 5-year intervals since 1967 and before that for 1954, 1958, and 1963. Prior to that time, individual components of the economic census were taken separately at varying intervals.

The economic census traces its beginnings to the 1810 Decennial Census, when questions on manufacturing were included with those for population. Coverage of economic activities was expanded for the 1840 Decennial Census and subsequent censuses to include mining and some commercial activities. The 1905 Manufactures Census was the first time a census was taken apart from the regular decennial population census. Censuses covering retail and wholesale trade and construction industries were added in 1930, as were some covering service trades in 1933. Censuses of construction, manufacturing, and the other business service censuses were suspended during World War II.

The 1954 Economic Census was the first census to be fully integrated: providing comparable census data across economic sectors, using consistent time periods, concepts, definitions, classifications, and reporting units. It was the first census to be taken by mail, using lists of firms provided by the administrative records of other Federal agencies. Since 1963, administrative records also have been used to provide basic statistics for very small firms, reducing or eliminating the need to send them census questionnaires.

The range of industries covered in the economic censuses expanded between 1967 and 1992. The census of construction industries began on a regular basis in 1967, and the scope of service industries, introduced in 1933, was broadened in 1967, 1977, and 1987. While a few transportation industries were covered as early as 1963, it was not until 1992 that the census broadened to include all of transportation, communications, and utilities. Also new for 1992 was coverage of financial, insurance, and real estate industries. With these additions, the economic census and the separate census of governments and census of agriculture collectively covered roughly 98 percent of all economic activity.

Printed statistical reports from the 1992 and earlier censuses provide historical figures for the study of longterm time series and are available in some large libraries. All of the census reports printed since 1967 are still available for sale on microfiche from the Census Bureau. CD-ROMs issued from the 1987 and 1992 Economic Censuses contain databases including nearly all data published in print, plus additional statistics, such as ZIP Code statistics, published only on CD-ROM.

SOURCES FOR MORE INFORMATION

More information about the scope, coverage, classification system, data items, and publications for each of the economic censuses and related surveys is published in the *Guide to the 1997 Economic Census and Related Statistics* at www.census.gov/econguide. More information on the methodology, procedures, and history of the censuses will be published in the *History of the 1997 Economic Census* at www.census.gov/econ/www/history.html.

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

The following abbreviations and symbols are used with the 1997 Economic Census data:

- A Standard error of 100 percent or more.
- D Withheld to avoid disclosing data of individual companies; data are included in higher level totals.
- F Exceeds 100 percent because data include establishments with payroll exceeding revenue.
- N Not available or not comparable.
- Q Revenue not collected at this level of detail for multiestablishment firms.
- S Withheld because estimates did not meet publication standards.

- V Represents less than 50 vehicles or .05 percent.
- X Not applicable.
- Y Disclosure withheld because of insufficient coverage of merchandise lines.
- Z Less than half the unit shown.
- a 0 to 19 employees.
- b 20 to 99 employees.
- c 100 to 249 employees.
- e 250 to 499 employees.
- f 500 to 999 employees.
- g 1,000 to 2,499 employees.
- h 2,500 to 4,999 employees.
- i 5,000 to 9,999 employees.
- j 10,000 to 24,999 employees.
- k 25,000 to 49,999 employees.
- l 50,000 to 99,999 employees.
- m 100,000 employees or more.
- p 10 to 19 percent estimated.
- q 20 to 29 percent estimated.
- r Revised.
- s Sampling error exceeds 40 percent.
- nec Not elsewhere classified.
- nsk Not specified by kind.
- Represents zero (page image/print only).
- (CC) Consolidated city.
- (IC) Independent city.

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Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

SCOPE

The Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services sector (sector 54) of the 1997 Economic Census covers establishments with payroll that specialize in performing professional, scientific, and technical activities for others. These activities require a high degree of expertise and training. The establishments in this sector specialize according to expertise and provide services to clients in a variety of industries and, in some cases, to households. Activities performed include: legal advice and representation; accounting, bookkeeping, and payroll services; architectural, engineering, and specialized design services; computer services; photographic services; translation and interpretation services; veterinary services; and other professional, scientific, and technical services.

This sector excludes establishments primarily engaged in providing a range of day-to-day office administrative services, such as financial planning, billing and recordkeeping, personnel, and physical distribution and logistics. These establishments are classified in Sector 56, Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services.

Data for this sector are shown for establishments of firms subject to Federal income tax and separately of firms which are exempt from Federal income tax under provisions of the Internal Revenue Code.

Many of the "kinds of business or operation" included in this sector are not thought of as commercial businesses and the terms (such as "business," "establishment," and "firm") used to describe them may not be descriptive of such services. However, these terms are applied to all "kinds of business or operation" in order to maintain conformity in the measures of the production and delivery of goods and services and in the presentation of data.

The basic tabulations for this sector do not include data for establishments which are auxiliary (primary function is providing a service, such as warehousing or bookkeeping) to service establishments within the same organization. Data for auxiliaries are presented separately.

GENERAL

A list of reports that provide statistics on sector 54 follows.

Geographic area reports. There is a separate report for each state, the District of Columbia, and the United States. For establishments of firms subject to Federal income tax,

each state report presents general statistics on number of establishments, receipts, payroll, and employment by kind of business for the state, metropolitan areas (MAs), counties, and places with 2,500 inhabitants or more. Greater kind-of-business detail is shown for larger areas. For establishments of firms exempt from Federal income tax, each state report presents statistics on number of establishments, revenue, expenses, payroll, and employment by kind of business, for the state and MAs. Greater kindof-business detail is shown for larger areas.

The United States report presents data for the United States as a whole for establishments with payroll of firms subject to Federal income tax, as well as those exempt from Federal income tax, for detailed kind-of-business classifications.

Sources of receipts or revenue report. This report presents sources of receipts or revenue data for establishments with payroll by kind of business. Data are presented for the United States and states.

Establishment and firm size (including legal form of organization) report. This report presents receipts/revenue, payroll, and employment data for the United States by receipts/revenue size, by employment size, and by legal form of organization for establishments; and receipts/revenue size (including concentration by largest firms), by employment size, and by number of establishments operated (single units and multiunits) for firms.

Miscellaneous subjects report. This report presents data for establishments with payroll for a variety of industry-specific questions. Presentation of data varies by kind of business.

ZIP Code report. This report presents data for establishments with payroll by United States ZIP Code.

GEOGRAPHIC AREAS COVERED

The level of geographic detail varies by report. Data may be presented for:

- 1. The United States as a whole.
- 2. States and the District of Columbia.
- 3. Consolidated metropolitan statistical areas (CMSAs) and primary metropolitan statistical areas (PMSAs) defined by the Office of Management and Budget

(OMB) as of June 30, 1997. A CMSA is an area used to facilitate the presentation and analysis of data for large concentrations of metropolitan populations. It includes two or more contiguous PMSAs which have a population of at least 1,000,000 (according to the 1990 Census of Population or subsequent special census) and which meet specific criteria of urban character and of social and economic integration.

- 4. Metropolitan statistical areas (MSAs) defined by the OMB as of June 30, 1997. An MSA is an integrated economic and social unit with a population nucleus of at least 50,000 inhabitants (according to the 1990 Census of Population or subsequent special census). Each MSA consists of one or more counties meeting standards of metropolitan character. In New England, cities and towns rather than counties are the component geographic units.
- 5. Areas within the state outside metropolitan areas (MAs).
- 6. Counties and county equivalents defined as of January 1, 1997. Counties are the primary divisions of states, except in Louisiana where they are called parishes and in Alaska where they are called boroughs and census areas. Maryland, Missouri, Nevada, and Virginia have one place or more that is independent of any county organization and constitutes primary divisions of their states. These places are treated as counties and as places.
- 7. Consolidated cities defined as of January 1, 1997. Consolidated cities are consolidated governments which consist of separately incorporated municipalities.
- 8. Municipalities of 2,500 inhabitants or more defined as of January 1, 1997. These are areas of significant population incorporated as cities, boroughs, villages, or towns according to the 1990 Census of Population

or subsequent special census. For the economic census, boroughs and census areas in Alaska and boroughs in New York are not included in this category.

9. Special economic urban areas (SEUAs), which include townships in Michigan, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, and towns in New York, Wisconsin, and the six New England states with 10,000 inhabitants or more (according to the 1990 Census of Population or subsequent special census).

COMPARABILITY OF THE 1992 AND 1997 CENSUSES

The 1997 Economic Census is the first census to present data based on the new North American Industry Classification System (NAICS). Previous census data were presented according to the Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) system developed some 60 years ago. Due to this change, comparability between census years may be limited. Comparative statistics will be included as part of the Core Business Statistics Reports.

DISCLOSURE

In accordance with Federal law governing census reports (Title 13 of the United States Code) no data are published that would disclose the operations of an individual establishment or business. However, the number of establishments in a kind-of-business classification is not considered a disclosure; therefore, this information may be released even though other information is withheld.

AVAILABILITY OF MORE FREQUENT ECONOMIC DATA

The Census Bureau conducts the Service Annual Survey (SAS) each year. This survey, while providing more frequent observations, yields less kind-of-business and geographic detail than the economic census. In addition, the County Business Patterns program offers annual statistics on the number of establishments, employment, and payroll classified by industry within each county.

Table 1a. Summary Statistics for Firms Subject to Federal Income Tax for the State: 1997

[Includes on	ly establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see in	ntroductory text	. For explanation o	f terms, see Appen	dix A]			
						Paid employees	Percent of	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	VERMONT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	1 622	719 108	279 049	61 762	7 792	23.8	5.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	1 622	719 108	279 049	61 762	7 792	23.8	5.1
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	452 448 448 448	169 879 169 584 169 584 169 584	78 138 78 023 78 023 78 023 78 023	15 887 15 853 15 853 15 853	1 988 1 982 1 982 1 982	26.1 26.1 26.1 26.1	1.1 1.1 1.1 1.1
54119	Other legal services	4	295	115	34	6	41.4	5.8
541191	Title abstract & settlement offices	3	D	D	D	a	D	D
541199	All other legal services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
5412 54121 541211 541213 541213 541214 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants Tax return preparation services Payroll services Other accounting services	265 265 131 38 4 92	60 844 60 844 41 250 4 289 2 098 13 207	27 428 27 428 19 572 1 143 996 5 717	6 261 6 261 4 407 413 268 1 173	1 051 1 051 598 189 41 223	35.8 35.8 34.1 39.7 45.6	3.9 3.9 3.6 1.0 15.1 4.1
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	312	132 610	57 715	12 912	1 596	32.8	4.3
54131		84	28 757	10 291	2 214	328	32.2	2.4
541310		84	28 757	10 291	2 214	328	32.2	2.4
54133	Engineering services	154	81 834	39 059	8 767	963	37.3	6.2
541330	Engineering services	154	81 834	39 059	8 767	963	37.3	6.2
54134	Drafting services	2	D	D	D	a	D	D
541340		2	D	D	D	a	D	D
54135	Building inspection services	5	856	322	72	14	68.5	
541350	Building inspection services	5	856	322	72	14	68.5	
54136	Geophysical surveying & mapping services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
541360	Geophysical surveying & mapping services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
54137	Surveying & mapping (except geophysical) services	51	5 266	1 858	381	102	24.7	-
541370	Surveying & mapping (except geophysical) services	51	5 266	1 858	381	102	24.7	
54138	Testing laboratories	15	15 551	6 074	1 463	185	11.5	
541380	Testing laboratories	15	15 551	6 074	1 463	185	11.5	
5414	Specialized design services	69	20 116	7 091	1 418	251	22.3	4.5
54141	Interior design services	18	5 373	1 864	303	63	31.3	2.7
541410	Interior design services	18	5 373	1 864	303	63	31.3	2.7
54142	Industrial design services	1	D	D	D	b	D	D
541420	Industrial design services	1	D	D	D	b	D	D
54143	Graphic design services	47	13 467	4 710	999	152	20.2	4.1
541430	Graphic design services	47	13 467	4 710	999	152	20.2	4.1
5414301	Graphic design services (except commercial art & medical artists)	42	12 861	4 544	975	147	19.8	3.1
5414302	Commercial art	5	606	166	24	5	28.7	24.3
54149	Other specialized design services	3	D	D	D	a	D	D
541490	Other specialized design services	3	D	D	D	a	D	D
5415 54151 541511 541512 5415121 5415122 541513 541519	Computer systems design & related services . Computer systems design & related services . Custom computer programming services . Computer systems design services . Computer systems integrators . Computer systems consultants (except systems integrators) . Computer facilities management services . Other computer related services .	156 156 82 57 20 37 7 10	190 416 190 416 31 560 148 502 131 375 17 127 D D	60 412 60 412 11 455 45 495 38 119 7 376 D D	14 494 14 494 3 072 10 711 8 772 1 939 D D	1 302 1 302 368 848 658 190 b a	11.6 11.6 19.1 10.3 6.9 36.6 D	7.7 7.7 42.4 .6 .3 3.2 D D
5416 54161 541611	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services Administrative management & general management consulting	222 156	74 599 28 074	25 821 11 000	5 585 2 400	655 310	30.4 57.7	4.6 7.7
541612 5416121 5416122 5416123 541613 541613 541614 541618	service	69 38 2 9 27 29 6 14	11 027 7 649 D 4 192 5 343 2 186 1 869	4 424 3 411 D 1 684 1 772 676 717	1 011 741 D 413 302 181 165	133 69 a 44 56 22 30	49.5 58.6 D 83.7 84.3 22.8 67.1	4.3 19.7 D 4.4 2.1 3.2
54162	Environmental consulting services	37	15 302	5 867	1 316	185	32.5	6.7
541620	Environmental consulting services	37	15 302	5 867	1 316	185	32.5	6.7
54169	Other scientific & technical consulting services	29	31 223	8 954	1 869	160	4.8	.8
541690	Other scientific & technical consulting services	29	31 223	8 954	1 869	160	4.8	.8
5417 54171 541710 5417101 5417102	Scientific research & development services R&D in the physical, engineering, & life sciences R&D in the physical, engineering, & life sciences R&D in the physical & engineering sciences Research & development in the life sciences	21 16 16 12 4	23 262 22 409 22 409 20 367 2 042	6 734 6 386 6 386 5 750 636	1 585 1 514 1 514 1 402 112	194 186 186 169 17	4.8 4.0 2.2 21.9	14.2 12.7 12.7 13.7 2.5
54172	Research & development in the social sciences & humanities	5	853	348	71	8	26.6	52.9
541720	R&D in the social sciences & humanities	5	853	348	71	8	26.6	52.9

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A]

See footnotes at end of table.

						Paid employees	Percent c	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	VERMONT-Con.							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services-Con.							
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services-Con.							
5418	Advertising & related services	76	34 237	10 551	2 336	377	25.9	8.9
54181	Advertising agencies	31	14 458	5 822	1 418	174	42.6	1.6
541810	Advertising agencies	31	14 458	5 822	1 418	174	42.6	1.6
54182 541820	Public relations agencies Public relations agencies	9 9	3 263 3 263	707 707	175 175	22 22	60.6 60.6	-
54183	Media buying services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
541830		1	D	D	D	a	D	D
54184	Media representatives	4	238	81	27	17	73.1	-
541840	Media representatives	4	238	81	27	17	73.1	-
5418401	Radio & television advertising representatives	2	D	D	D	a	D	D
5418402	Publishers' advertising representatives	2	D	D	D	a	D	D
54185 541850 5418501 5418502	Display advertising . Display advertising . Display advertising (except outdoor). Outdoor advertising services	3 3 2 1	D D D	D D D	D D D	a a a	D D D	D D D
54186 541860	Direct mail advertising	8 8	7 530 7 530	1 916 1 916	422 422	94 94	-	37.3 37.3
54187	Advertising material distribution services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
541870	Advertising material distribution services	1	D	D	D	a	D	D
54189	Other services related to advertising	19	7 563	1 563	203	51	6.3	
541890	Other services related to advertising	19	7 563	1 563	203	51	6.3	
5418902	Advertising specialties goods distributor	7	5 967	1 213	133	27	2.3	
5418903	Sign painting & lettering shop	9	1 350	272	55	16	23.3	
5418909	All other advertising	3	246	78	15	8	D	
5419	Other professional, scientific, & technical services	49	13 145	5 159	1 284	378	19.2	11.0
54191	Marketing research & public opinion polling	9	6 215	3 169	697	228	1.9	2.2
541910	Marketing research & public opinion polling	9	6 215	3 169	697	228	1.9	2.2
54192	Photographic services	32	6 275	1 715	517	125	35.4	18.6
541921		24	4 084	1 019	269	80	28.7	28.6
541922		8	2 191	696	248	45	47.9	—
54193	Translation & interpretation services	3	281	109	23	4	D	
541930	Translation & interpretation services	3	281	109	23	4	D	
54199	All other professional, scientific, & technical services	5	374	166	47	21	38.2	37.7
541990	All other professional, scientific, & technical services	5	374	166	47	21	38.2	37.7

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A]

¹Includes receipts information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes receipts information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

Summary Statistics for Firms Exempt From Federal Income Tax for the State: 1997 Table 1b.

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A]

							Paid employees	Percent o	f revenue-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Revenue (\$1,000)	Expenses (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	VERMONT								
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	24	7 276	6 929	2 700	696	108	17.5	3.0
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	24	7 276	6 929	2 700	696	108	17.5	3.0
5411 54111 541110 5411102	Legal services Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers Legal aid societies & similar legal services	11 11 11 11	ם ס ס	D D D	ם ם ם		b b b	D D D	D D D
5417 54171 541710 5417101 5417102	Scientific research & development services R&D in the physical, engineering, & life sciences R&D in the physical, engineering, & life sciences R&D in the physical & engineering sciences Research & development in the life sciences	13 6 2 4	D 2 057 2 057 D D	D 1 914 1 914 D D	D 485 485 D D	D 106 106 D D	b 22 22 a a	D - D D	D 4.9 4.9 D D
54172 541720	Research & development in the social sciences & humanities	7 7	D D	D D	D D	D D	b b	D D	D D

¹Includes revenue information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes revenue information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

Table 2a. Summary Statistics for Firms Subject to Federal Income Tax for Metropolitan Areas: 1997

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A. For definitions of metropolitan areas (CMSAs, MSAs, and PMSAs), see Appendix E]

MSAS, and	PMSAs), see Appendix Ej					Doid	Percent o	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	Paid employees for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	BURLINGTON, VT MSA		,			. ,		
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	559	440 051	162 186	35 370	4 000	16.7	5.0
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	559	440 051	162 186	35 370	4 000	16.7	5.0
5411 54111 541110 541110	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies).	119 119 119 119	76 272 76 272 76 272 76 272 76 272	36 878 36 878 36 878 36 878 36 878	7 339 7 339 7 339 7 339 7 339	787 787 787 787 787	18.5 18.5 18.5 18.5	.8 .8 .8
5412 54121 541211 541213 541213 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants Tax return preparation services Other accounting services	92 92 48 12 28	27 412 27 412 18 129 2 030 5 155	12 140 12 140 8 449 560 2 135	2 800 2 800 1 883 198 451	460 460 239 103 77	27.3 27.3 25.9 18.7 47.0	2.2 2.2 .8 .1 2.5
5413 54131 541310	Architectural, engineering, & related services	99 22 22	71 379 14 977 14 977	30 297 5 105 5 105	6 663 1 071 1 071	769 136 136	27.3 4.1 4.1	4.4 _ _
54133 541330	Engineering services	62 62	41 588 41 588	19 609 19 609	4 287 4 287	472 472	40.2 40.2	7.6 7.6
54138 541380	Testing laboratories	7 7	13 664 13 664	5 218 5 218	1 225 1 225	147 147	10.5 10.5	
5414 54143 541430 5414301	Specialized design services . Graphic design services . Graphic design services . Graphic design services (except commercial art & medical artists)	30 23 23 22	13 110 10 231 10 231 D	4 869 3 688 3 688 D	968 774 774 D	133 107 107 c	11.6 11.3 11.3 D	5.0 3.0 3.0 D
5415 54151	Computer systems design & related services Computer systems design & related services	78 78	164 741 164 741	50 405 50 405	11 577 11 577	947 947	8.6 8.6	7.8 7.8
541511 541512 5415121 5415122	Custom computer programming services Computer systems design services Computer systems integrators	38 32 13 19	D 137 641 129 623 8 018	D 41 282 37 763 3 519	D 9 469 8 711 758	c 709 644 65	D 8.4 6.2 44.2	D .5 .3 4.0
5416 54161	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services	77 55	46 683 11 837	14 723 4 321	3 211 958	321 109	19.8 64.2	.6 .5
54162 541620	Environmental consulting services	10 10	D	D D	D	b	D D	D
54169 541690	Other scientific & technical consulting services	12 12	D	D	D	c c	D	D
5417	Scientific research & development services	10	13 698	4 024	926	111	7.3	23.7
5418 54181 541810	Advertising & related services	30 14 14	19 087 9 590 9 590	5 613 3 520 3 520	1 190 846 846	203 116 116	29.4 52.8 52.8	1.2 2.3 2.3
54189 541890	Other services related to advertising Other services related to advertising	9 9	6 427 6 427	1 322 1 322	162 162	33 33	-	=
5419 54192 541921	Other professional, scientific, & technical services Photographic services Photographic studios, portrait	24 13 11	7 669 1 932 D	3 237 361 D	696 71 D	269 33 b	11.7 40.0 D	2.6 D
	AREA OUTSIDE VERMONT METROPOLITAN AREAS							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	1 063	279 057	116 863	26 392	3 792	35.1	5.3
541 5411	Professional, scientific, & technical services	1 063 333	279 057 93 607	116 863 41 260	26 392 8 548	3 792 1 201	35.1 32.3	5.3 1.4
54111 541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies).	329 329 329	93 312 93 312 93 312 93 312	41 145 41 145 41 145 41 145	8 514 8 514 8 514	1 195 1 195 1 195	32.3 32.3 32.3	1.4 1.4 1.4
5412 54121 541211 541213 541213 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants Tax return preparation services Other accounting services	173 173 83 26 64	33 432 33 432 23 121 2 259 8 052	15 288 15 288 11 123 583 3 582	3 461 3 461 2 524 215 722	591 591 359 86 146	42.7 42.7 40.5 58.6 44.6	5.4 5.4 5.7 1.9 5.2
5413 54131 541310	Architectural, engineering, & related services	213 62 62	61 231 13 780 13 780	27 418 5 186 5 186	6 249 1 143 1 143	827 192 192	39.3 62.8 62.8	4.2 5.0 5.0
54133 541330	Engineering services	92 92	40 246 40 246	19 450 19 450	4 480 4 480	491 491	34.3 34.3	4.7 4.7
54137 541370	Surveying & mapping (except geophysical) services Surveying & mapping (except geophysical) services	47 47	5 008 5 008	1 796 1 796	368 368	98 98	23.1 23.1	
5414 54141 541410	Specialized design services . Interior design services . Interior design services .	39 13 13	7 006 D D	2 222 D D	450 D D	118 b b	42.4 D D	3.4 D D
54143 541430	Graphic design services Graphic design services	24 24	3 236 3 236	1 022 1 022	225 225	45 45	48.3 48.3	7.4 7.4
5415 54151 541511 541512 5415122	Computer systems design & related services	78 78 44 25 18	25 675 25 675 D 10 861 9 109	10 007 10 007 D 4 213 3 857	2 917 2 917 D 1 242 1 181	355 355 c 139 125	30.8 30.8 D 34.5 29.9	6.7 6.7 D 2.1 2.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2a. Summary Statistics for Firms Subject to Federal Income Tax for Metropolitan Areas: 1997-Con.

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A. For definitions of metropolitan areas (CMSAs, MSAs, and PMSAs), see Appendix E]

						Paid	Percent o	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	employees for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	AREA OUTSIDE VERMONT METROPOLITAN AREAS-Con.							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services-Con.							
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services-Con.							
5416 54161 541611	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services Administrative management & general management consulting	145 101	27 916 16 237	11 098 6 679	2 374 1 442	334 201	48.1 52.9	11.2 12.9
541612	service	44 26	D 5 437	D 2 264	D 481	с 41	D 59.0	D 27.8
54162 541620	Environmental consulting services Environmental consulting services	27 27	D D	D D	D D	c c	D D	D D
5417	Scientific research & development services	11	9 564	2 710	659	83	1.3	.5
5418	Advertising & related services	46	15 150	4 938	1 146	174	21.4	18.5
5419 54192 541921	Other professional, scientific, & technical services. Photographic services Photographic studios, portrait	25 19 13	5 476 4 343 D	1 922 1 354 D	588 446 D	109 92 b	29.8 33.4 D	22.7 26.8 D

¹Includes receipts information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes receipts information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

Table 2b. Summary Statistics for Firms Exempt From Federal Income Tax for Metropolitan Areas: 1997

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A. For definitions of metropolitan areas (CMSAs, MSAs, and PMSAs), see Appendix E]

							Paid employees	Percent o	of revenue-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Revenue (\$1,000)	Expenses (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	BURLINGTON, VT MSA								
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	7	2 462	2 250	1 057	248	43	4.8	4.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	7	2 462	2 250	1 057	248	43	4.8	4.1
	AREA OUTSIDE VERMONT METROPOLITAN AREAS								
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	17	4 814	4 679	1 643	448	65	24.0	2.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	17	4 814	4 679	1 643	448	65	24.0	2.4

¹Includes revenue information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes revenue information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

Table 3. Summary Statistics for Firms Subject to Federal Income Tax for Counties: 1997

[Includes only establishments with payroll. For meaning of abbreviations and symbols, see introductory text. For explanation of terms, see Appendix A. For information on geographic areas followed by *, see Appendix D]

see Apper						Daid	Porcont	of receipts-
						Paid employees for pay	Feicenit	
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish-			First-quarter	period including	From adminis-	
		(number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	payroll (\$1,000)	March 12 (number)	trative records ¹	Estimated ²
		(number)	(#1,000)	(#1,000)	(\$1,000)	(number)	1000100	Lounded
54	ADDISON COUNTY, VT Professional, scientific, & technical services	77	17 897	7 438	1 620	244	57.0	1.8
54 1	Professional, scientific, & technical services	77	17 897	7 438	1 620	244	57.0	1.8
5411	Legal services	19	6 440	2 708	605	83	27.4	-
54111 541110 5411101	Öffices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers .	19 19	6 440 6 440 6 440	2 708 2 708 2 708	605 605	83 83 83	27.4	-
541101	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	19 12	1 478	639	605 155	42	27.4 88.3	_
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	12	1 478	639	155	42	88.3	-
5413 5416	Architectural, engineering, & related services Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	17 19	3 485 4 269	1 667 1 347	349 293	45 47	80.2 82.1	4.2 4.0
0110	BENNINGTON COUNTY, VT		. 200		200		02.1	
			47.400	0.070	4 504			
54 541	Professional, scientific, & technical services Professional, scientific, & technical services	86 86	17 186 17 186	6 376 6 376	1 531 1 531	237 237	44.0 44.0	4.4 4.4
5411	Legal services	31	7 596	2 410	578	90	38.5	4.8
54111 541110	Öffices of lawyers Offices of lawyers	31 31	7 596 7 596	2 410 2 410	578 578	90 90	38.5 38.5	4.8 4.8
5411101 5412	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	31 13	7 596 2 913	2 410 1 307	578 332	90 59	38.5 49.7	4.8
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	13	2 913	1 307	332	59	49.7	_
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	19	3 314	1 304	279	47	71.4	-
	CALEDONIA COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	58	14 398	7 581	1 492	229	25.6	9.5
541 5411	Professional, scientific, & technical services	58 22	14 398 8 291	7 581 5 353	1 492 939	229 117	25.6 16.6	9.5 .9
54111 541110	Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers .	22 22	8 291 8 291	5 353 5 353	939 939	117 117	16.6 16.6	.9 .9
5411101	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	22	8 291	5 353	939	117	16.6	.9
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	13 13	1 832 1 832	783 783	235 235	41 41	42.3 42.3	-
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	12	2 965	1 025	218	37	27.9	25.0
	CHITTENDEN COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	514	429 394	157 511	34 601	3 854	16.3	4.9
541 5411	Professional, scientific, & technical services	514 99	429 394 72 534	157 511 35 343	34 601 7 002	3 854 727	16.3 16.7	4.9
54111 541110	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers .	99 99	72 534 72 534 72 534	35 343 35 343 35 343	7 002 7 002 7 002	727 727	16.7 16.7 16.7	.7 .7 .7 .7
5411101	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	99	72 534	35 343	7 002	727	16.7	.7
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	83 83	24 138 24 138	10 358 10 358	2 536 2 536	423 423	27.6 27.6	2.6 2.6
541211 541213	Offices of certified public accountants	40 12	15 062 1 898	6 702 529	1 632 186	211 95	26.1 20.0	1.0 2.4
541219	Other accounting services	27	5 080	2 131	450	76	46.2	2.5
5413 54131 541310	Architectural, engineering, & related services. Architectural services. Architectural services.	94 22 22	69 747 14 977 14 977	29 614 5 105 5 105	6 516 1 071 1 071	748 136 136	27.1 4.1 4.1	3.4
54133	Engineering services	58	40 046	18 940	4 146	452	4.1	6.0
541330	Engineering services	58	40 046	18 940	4 146	452	40.2	6.0
54138 541380	Testing laboratories	777	13 664 13 664	5 218 5 218	1 225 1 225	147 147	10.5 10.5	-
5414 54143	Specialized design services	26 21	12 596 9 940	4 753 3 623	939 756	126 103	9.8 8.7	5.2 3.1
541430 5414301	Graphic design services	21 20	9 940 D	3 623 D	756 D	103 c	8.7 D	3.1 D
5415	Computer systems design & related services	79	164 756	50 489	11 669	948	8.5	7.8
54151 541511	Computer systems design & related services Custom computer programming services	79 40	164 756 D	50 489 D	11 669 D	948 C	8.5 D	7.8 D .5 .3
541512 5415121	Computer systems design services Computer systems integrators	32 13	137 641 129 623	41 282 37 763	9 469 8 711	709 644	8.4 6.2	.5
5415122 5416	Computer systems consultants (except systems integrators) Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	19 72	8 018 46 917	3 519 14 722	758 3 211	65 315	44.2 20.4	4.0 .6
54161	Management consulting services	51	12 087	4 326	960	104	65.5	.3
54162 541620	Environmental consulting services Environmental consulting services	9 9	D	D D	D D	b b	D D	D D
54169 541690	Other scientific & technical consulting services	12 12	D	D	D	c	D	D
541690	Scientific research & development services	9	12 552	3 704	884	с 103	7.1	25.9
5418	Advertising & related services	30	19 087	5 613	1 190	203	29.4	1.2
54181 541810	Advertising agencies	14 14	9 590 9 590	3 520 3 520	846 846	116 116	52.8 52.8	2.3 2.3
54189 541890	Other services related to advertising	9 9	6 427 6 427	1 322 1 322	162	33 33	-	-
541890	Other services related to advertising	. 9	6 427	1 322	162	1 33	. –	. –

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						Paid employees	Percent of	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	CHITTENDEN COUNTY, VT-Con.	. ,				. ,		
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services – Con.							
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services – Con.							
5419 54192 541921	Other professional, scientific, & technical services Photographic services Photographic studios, portrait	22 13 11	7 067 D D	2 915 D D	654 D D	261 b b	12.6 D D	2.9 D D
	ESSEX COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	4	659	337	5	3	10.2	-
	FRANKLIN COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	50	11 677	5 137	967	174	36.5	7.6
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	50	11 677	5 137	967	174	36.5	7.6
5411	Legal services	20	3 728	1 494	321	58	53.1	2.0
54111 541110	Offices of lawyers	20 20	3 728 3 728	1 494 1 494	321 321	58 58	53.1 53.1	2.0 2.0
5411101	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	20	3 728	1 494	321	58	53.1	2.0
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	9 9	3 088 3 088	1 705 1 705	248 248	37 37	19.5 19.5	
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	8	1 812	739	161	25	40.6	43.2
	GRAND ISLE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	9	874	307	75	16	89.4	-
	LAMOILLE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	11 327	4 318	921	166	61.3	6.8
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	11 327	4 318	921	166	61.3	6.8
5411	Legal services	17	3 097	1 115	225	41	77.4	-
54111 541110	Offices of lawyers	17 17	3 097 3 097	1 115	225 225 225	41 41	77.4	-
5411101 5412	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	17 12	3 097 1 129	1 115 419	93	41 28	77.4 75.7	4.8
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	12	1 129	419	93	28	75.7	4.8
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	22	3 387	1 051	217	44	60.4	15.6
5418	Advertising & related services	5	D	D	D	b	D	D
	ORANGE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	56	11 997	5 005	1 170	164	35.3	3.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	56	11 997	5 005	1 170	164	35.3	3.4
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8 8	1 232 1 232	538 538	131 131	26 26	51.1 51.1	2.7 2.7
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	14	D	D	D	b	D	D
	ORLEANS COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	39	5 862	2 513	593	105	66.5	1.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	39	5 862	2 513	593	105	66.5	1.4
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	7	D	D	D	b	D	D
	RUTLAND COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	155	42 749	19 791	4 104	580	32.3	11.5
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	155	42 749	19 791	4 104	580	32.3	11.5
5411	Legal services	54	21 204	11 119	2 270	282	23.5	1.6
54111 541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	53 53 53	D D D		D D D	e e e	D D D	D D D
5412	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	31	7 120	3 728	740	115	37.2	4.9
54121 541211	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants	31 17	7 120 5 754	3 728 3 175	740 663	115 88	37.2 29.3	4.9 4.5
541219	Other accounting services	13	D	D	D	b	D	D
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	22	5 486	2 417	532	85	63.6	4.1
5416	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	18	2 949	1 233	260	35	40.6	39.2
5418	Advertising & related services	8	3 297	542	120	21	8.6	85.2
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NAICS						Paid employees for pay	Feicenit	
code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	WASHINGTON COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	191	54 315	21 866	4 807	729	31.6	6.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	191	54 315	21 866	4 807	729	31.6	6.1
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	58 58 58 58	17 565 17 565 17 565 17 565 17 565	6 723 6 723 6 723 6 723 6 723	1 390 1 390 1 390 1 390	198 198 198 198	35.7 35.7 35.7 35.7 35.7	.9 .9 .9
5412 54121 541211 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants Other accounting services	30 30 20 8	9 706 9 706 D D	4 457 4 457 D D	928 928 D D	121 121 b b	21.3 21.3 D D	9.1 9.1 D D
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	42	11 802	4 850	1 209	176	24.3	5.4
5416	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	30	5 719	2 430	506	76	36.0	10.1
5418	Advertising & related services	8	2 719	595	160	25	26.9	-
5419	Other professional, scientific, & technical services	5	D	D	D	b	D	D
	WINDHAM COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	124	29 115	10 813	2 531	442	40.5	6.0
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	124	29 115	10 813	2 531	442	40.5	6.0
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	37 36 36 36	9 465 D D D	3 512 D D D	805 D D D	125 c c	38.5 D D D	D D D
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	16 16	3 983 3 983	1 783 1 783	465 465	65 65	50.2 50.2	
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	22	2 855	1 003	201	43	63.6	-
5414	Specialized design services	8	2 218	661	156	48	39.9	-
5416 54161	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services	25 15	4 979 3 557	1 871 1 371	438 344	72 55	34.0 31.3	11.2 .6
5418	Advertising & related services	4	1 882	662	103	32	45.2	-
	WINDSOR COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	181	71 658	30 056	7 345	849	23.9	1.5
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	181	71 658	30 056	7 345	849	23.9	1.5
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	63 61 61 61	16 787 D D D	7 414 D D D	1 548 D D D	206 c c	31.0 D D D	1.5 D D
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	29 29	3 533 3 533	1 469 1 469	331 331	71 71	65.1 65.1	11.5 11.5
5413 54133 541330	Architectural, engineering, & related services . Engineering services . Engineering services .	31 17 17	D 17 504 17 504	D 8 749 8 749	D 1 968 1 968	с 183 183	D 24.8 24.8	D - -
5415 54151 541511 541512 5415122	Computer systems design & related services Computer systems design & related services Custom computer programming services Computer systems design services Computer systems consultants (except systems integrators)	16 16 10 5 4	13 858 13 858 D 6 615 D	5 364 5 364 D 2 605 D	1 834 1 834 D 904 D	170 170 c 67 b	15.5 15.5 D 12.8 D	.8 .8 D _ D
5416 54161	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services	18 16	5 413 D	2 357 D	465 D	61 b	27.6 D	1.8 D
5417	Scientific research & development services	3	D	D	D	b	D	D
5418	Advertising & related services	7	D	D	D	b	D	D

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¹Includes receipts information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes receipts information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

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						Paid employees	Percent of	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	BARRE, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	37	D	D	D	c	D	D
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	37	D	D	D	С	D	D
5411 54111	Legal services	17 17	5 134 5 134 5 134 5 134 5 134	2 473 2 473	500 500	54 54	27.3 27.3	3.0 3.0
541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	17 17		2 473 2 473	500 500	54 54	27.3 27.3	3.0 3.0
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8 8	2 718 2 718	1 190 1 190	242 242	37 37	28.1 28.1	
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	7	1 649	574	130	22	24.9	-
	BELLOWS FALLS, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	8	1 971	692	195	37	56.4	-
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	8	1 971	692	195	37	56.4	-
	BENNINGTON TOWN, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	32	6 562	2 521	613	104	34.3	.7
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	32	6 562	2 521	613	104	34.3	.7
5411 54111	Legal services	14 14 14	3 789 3 789 3 789	1 307 1 307 1 307	317 317 317	48 48 48	21.4	1.2 1.2 1.2
541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	14	3 789	1 307	317	48	21.4 21.4	1.2
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	5 5	1 002 1 002	443 443	132 132	27 27	25.0 25.0	-
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	8	1 565	681	147	25	66.9	-
	BRATTLEBORO TOWN, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	68	18 806	7 794	1 775	288	32.9	9.2
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	68	18 806	7 794	1 775	288	32.9	9.2
5411 54111 541110	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers .	27 26 26	7 604 D D	2 813 D D	640 D D	95 b b	34.1 D D	D D
5411101	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	26	D	D	D	b	D	D
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	7 7	2 436 2 436	1 366 1 366	347 347	41 41	35.3 35.3	-
5418	Advertising & related services	3	D	D	D	b	D	D
	BURLINGTON, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	203	147 939	62 364	13 060	1 597	15.6	2.4
541 5411	Professional, scientific, & technical services	203 72	147 939 62 464	62 364 32 972	13 060 6 437	1 597 635	15.6 11.5	2.4
54111 541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	72 72 72 72 72	62 464 62 464 62 464 62 464	32 972 32 972 32 972 32 972	6 437 6 437 6 437 6 437	635 635 635	11.5 11.5 11.5 11.5	.8 .8 .8
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	23 23	12 063 12 063	4 897 4 897	1 257 1 257	190 190	16.0 16.0	2.6 2.6
541211 541213	Offices of certified public accountants	16 4	10 619 D	4 489 D	1 123 D	126 b	17.3 D	.4 D
5413 54131 541310	Architectural, engineering, & related services	30 14 14	13 240 7 486 7 486	4 957 2 665 2 665	1 049 580 580	131 70 70	28.4 5.4 5.4	9.7 - -
5414 54143 541430	Specialized design services Graphic design services Graphic design services	21 17 17	9 979 D D	3 619 D D	767 D D	106 b b	7.0 D D	6.6 D D
5414301 5415	Graphic design services (except commercial art & medical artists) Graphic design services (except commercial art & medical artists) Computer systems design & related services	16 15	D 6 392	2 298	497	b 64	D 7.4	D 7.2
54151 5416	Computer systems design & related services	15	6 392	2 298	497	64	7.4	7.2
5416 54169 541690	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Other scientific & technical consulting services Other scientific & technical consulting services	18 3 3	29 580 D D	8 482 D D	1 845 D D	148 c c	10.2 D D	.1 D D
5418	Advertising & related services	15	8 750	2 646	654	104	62.9	2.6
5419	Other professional, scientific, & technical services	9	5 471	2 493	554	219	9.0	

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NAICS	Geographic area and kind of business					Paid employees for pay period	Percent o	of receipts-
code		Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	including March 12 (number)	adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	COLCHESTER TOWN, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	40	30 697	11 595	2 610	288	19.0	3.3
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	40	30 697	11 595	2 610	288	19.0	3.3
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8 8	2 270 2 270	974 974	245 245	34 34	19.2 19.2	2.4 2.4
5413 54138 541380	Architectural, engineering, & related services Testing laboratories Testing laboratories	10 1 1	13 566 D D	5 122 D D	1 174 D D	126 b b	10.6 D D	7.0 D D
5415 54151 541512 5415122	Computer systems design & related services Computer systems design & related services Computer systems design services Computer systems consultants (except systems integrators)	13 13 10 7	12 986 12 986 D D	4 914 4 914 D D	1 068 1 068 D D	102 102 b b	26.9 26.9 D D	.2 .2 D
	ESSEX JUNCTION, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	31	14 814	6 237	1 530	216	22.1	29.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	31	14 814	6 237	1 530	216	22.1	29.1
5411	Legal services	7	3 254	930	229	39	31.8	-
54111 541110	Öffices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers.	7 7 7	3 254 3 254	930 930	229 229	39 39 39	31.8 31.8	
5411101 5412	Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8	3 254 3 126	930 1 620	229 400	39 74	31.8 16.7	_
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8	3 126	1 620	400	74	16.7	-
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	4	D	D	D	b	D	D
	MONTPELIER, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	76	27 496	11 403	2 568	362	21.6	9.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	76	27 496	11 403	2 568	362	21.6	9.1
5411 54111 541110 541110	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) .	26 26 26 26	8 733 8 733 8 733 8 733 8 733	3 548 3 548 3 548 3 548 3 548	737 737 737 737 737	103 103 103 103	37.5 37.5 37.5 37.5	
5412 54121 541211	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants	12 12 9	4 953 4 953 D	2 382 2 382 D	511 511 D	59 59 b	9.9 9.9 D	14.6 14.6 D
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	15	6 623	2 689	721	94	2.0	9.5
5416	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	14	3 479	1 424	284	40	13.7	14.5
5418	Advertising & related services	4	D	D	D	а	D	D
	NEWPORT, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	18	3 445	1 593	376	52	62.0	-
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	18	3 445	1 593	376	52	62.0	-
	RUTLAND, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	96	34 505	16 532	3 430	456	27.8	10.0
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	96	34 505	16 532	3 430	456	27.8	10.0
5411 54111 541110 541110	Legal services Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	40 40 40 40	19 415 19 415 19 415 19 415 19 415	10 422 10 422 10 422 10 422 10 422	2 113 2 113 2 113 2 113 2 113	243 243 243 243 243	20.4 20.4 20.4 20.4	1.6 1.6 1.6 1.6
5412 54121 541211	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Offices of certified public accountants	22 22 13	6 223 6 223 5 331	3 287 3 287 2 957	684 684 616	104 104 81	34.1 34.1 23.7	4.7 4.7 4.8
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	13	3 843	1 750	399	58	67.0	-
5418	Advertising & related services	6	D	D	D	а	D	D
	ST. ALBANS, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	33	9 742	4 394	780	122	28.4	9.1
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	33	9 742	4 394	780	122	28.4	9.1
5411	Legal services	16	3 117	1 326	276	49	48.5	2.4
54111 541110 5411101	Öffices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	16 16 16	3 117 3 117 3 117 3 117	1 326 1 326 1 326 1 326	276 276 276	49 49 49	48.5 48.5 48.5	2.4 2.4 2.4
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	6 6	2 966 2 966	1 670 1 670	244 244	34 34	16.2 16.2	
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						Paid employees for pay	Percent c	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	SOUTH BURLINGTON, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	66	160 142	49 293	10 964	963	6.3	.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	66	160 142	49 293	10 964	963	6.3	.4
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Öffices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) .	7 7 7 7	D D D	D D D		b b b		D D D
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	11 11	D	D	D	b	D	D
5413 54133 541330	Architectural, engineering, & related services . Engineering services . Engineering services .	17 10 10	20 722 17 391 17 391	10 060 8 747 8 747	2 255 1 967 1 967	230 190 190	13.5 15.9 15.9	
5415 54151 541512 5415121	Computer systems design & related services	8 8 4 3	D D D	D D D D	D D D	f f f	D D D	D D D
5416	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	13	D	D	D	b	D	D
5417	Scientific research & development services	3	D	D	D	b	D	D
5418 54189 541890	Advertising & related services Other services related to advertising Other services related to advertising	6 3 3	6 752 D D	1 872 D D	261 D D	30 a a	1.7 D D	D D
	SWANTON, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	3	363	126	26	5	100.0	-
	VERGENNES, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	9	1 512	408	83	18	74.0	.3
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	9	1 512	408	83	18	74.0	.3
	WINOOSKI, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	11	2 710	1 050	200	35	48.2	42.6
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	11	2 710	1 050	200	35	48.2	42.6
	BALANCE OF CHITTENDEN COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	163	73 092	26 972	6 237	755	35.9	14.3
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	163	73 092	26 972	6 237	755	35.9	14.3
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) .	9 9 9 9	D D D	D D D D	D D D	6 5 5 5	D D D D	D D D
5412 54121 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Other accounting services	29 29 13	D D D	D D D	D D D	b b	D D D	D D D
5413 54131 541310	Architectural, engineering, & related services	32 2 2	D D D	D D D	D D D	c b b	D D D	D D D
54133 541330	Engineering services Engineering services	24 24	D D	D D	D D	c c	D D	D D
5414	Specialized design services	3	D	D	D	а	D	D
5415 54151 541511 541512	Computer systems design & related services . Computer systems design & related services . Custom computer programming services . Computer systems design services .	33 33 19 11	D D D	D D D D	D D D	c c b	D D D	D D D
5416 54161	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services	35 26	D	D D	D	c	D	D D
5418	Advertising & related services	9	3 585	1 095	275	69	-	-
	BALANCE OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	14	1 572	617	161	47	72.1	-
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	14	1 572	617	161	47	72.1	-
	BALANCE OF GRAND ISLE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	9	874	307	75	16	89.4	-

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						Paid employees	Percent of	of receipts-
NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish- ments (number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	First-quarter payroll (\$1,000)	for pay period including March 12 (number)	From adminis- trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	BALANCE OF ADDISON COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	68	16 385	7 030	1 537	226	55.5	1.9
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	68	16 385	7 030	1 537	226	55.5	1.9
5411 54111	Legal services	17 17	D D	D	D D	b b	D D	D
541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers	17 17	D	D	D	bb	D	D
5412	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	11	D	D	D	b	D	D
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	11	D	D	D	b	D	D
5413 5416	Architectural, engineering, & related services	15 16	D 3 574	D 1 136	D 257	b 37	D 83.0	D 4.7
5410	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services	10	3 5/4	1 130	257	57	03.0	4.7
	BALANCE OF BENNINGTON COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	54	10 624	3 855	918	133	49.9	6.7
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	54 17	10 624 3 807	3 855	918	133 42	49.9	6.7 8.3
5411 54111	Legal services . Offices of lawyers .	17	3 807	1 103 1 103	261 261	42	55.5 55.5	8.3
541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	17 17	3 807 3 807	1 103 1 103	261 261	42 42	55.5 55.5	8.3 8.3
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8 8	1 911 1 911	864 864	200 200	32 32	62.7 62.7	_
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	11	1 749	623	132	22	75.4	-
	BALANCE OF CALEDONIA COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	58	14 398	7 581	1 492	229	25.6	9.5
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	58	14 398	7 581	1 492	229	25.6	9.5
5411	Legal services	22	8 291	5 353	939	117	16.6	.9
54111 541110 5411101	Öffices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	22 22 22	8 291 8 291 8 291	5 353 5 353 5 353	939 939 939	117 117 117	16.6 16.6 16.6	.9 .9 .9
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	13 13	1 832 1 832	783 783	235 235	41 41	42.3 42.3	
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	12	2 965	1 025	218	37	27.9	25.0
	BALANCE OF ESSEX COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	4	659	337	5	3	10.2	-
	BALANCE OF LAMOILLE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	11 327	4 318	921	166	61.3	6.8
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	11 327	4 318	921	166	61.3	6.8
5411 54111	Legal services Offices of lawyers	17 17	3 097 3 097	1 115 1 115	225 225	41 41	77.4 77.4	-
541110 5411101	Offices of lawyers. Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies).	17 17	3 097 3 097	1 115	225 225 225	41 41	77.4	-
5412	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	12	1 129	419	93	28	75.7	4.8
54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	12	1 129	419	93	28	75.7	4.8
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	22	3 387	1 051	217	44	60.4	15.6
5418	Advertising & related services	5	D	D	D	b	D	D
	BALANCE OF ORANGE COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	56	11 997	5 005	1 170	164	35.3	3.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	56	11 997	5 005	1 170	164	35.3	3.4
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	8 8	1 232 1 232	538 538	131 131	26 26	51.1 51.1	2.7 2.7
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	14	D	D	D	b	D	 D
0110	BALANCE OF ORLEANS COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	21	2 417	920	217	53	73.1	3.4
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	21	2 417	920	217	53	73.1	3.4
	BALANCE OF RUTLAND COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	59	8 244	3 259	674	124	51.3	18.0
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	59	8 244	3 259	674	124	51.3	18.0
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	9 9	897 897	441 441	56 56	11 11	58.6 58.6	6.4 6.4
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	9	1 643	667	133	27	55.6	13.6
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NAICS code	Geographic area and kind of business	Establish-			First-quarter	Paid employees for pay period including	Percent of From adminis-	of receipts-
		(number)	Receipts (\$1,000)	Annual payroll (\$1,000)	payroll (\$1,000)	March 12 (number)	trative records ¹	Estimated ²
	BALANCE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, VT							
				_	_		_	
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	D	D	D	с	D	D
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	78	D	D	D	с	D	D
5411 54111 541110 5411101	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies)	15 15 15 15	3 698 3 698 3 698 3 698 3 698	702 702 702 702	153 153 153 153	41 41 41 41	43.1 43.1 43.1 43.1	
5412 54121 541219	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Other accounting services	10 10 4	2 035 2 035 D	885 885 D	175 175 D	25 25 a	40.1 40.1 D	7.9 7.9 D
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	20	3 530	1 587	358	60	65.9	-
	BALANCE OF WINDHAM COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	48	8 338	2 327	561	117	53.8	.3
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	48	8 338	2 327	561	117	53.8	.3
5413	Architectural, engineering, & related services	15	D	D	D	b	D	D
	BALANCE OF WINDSOR COUNTY, VT							
54	Professional, scientific, & technical services	181	71 658	30 056	7 345	849	23.9	1.5
541	Professional, scientific, & technical services	181	71 658	30 056	7 345	849	23.9	1.5
5411 54111 541110 541110	Legal services . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers . Offices of lawyers (except legal aid societies) .	63 61 61 61	16 787 D D D	7 414 D D D	1 548 D D D	206 c c c	31.0 D D D	1.5 D D D
5412 54121	Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services Accounting, tax return prep, bookkeeping, & payroll services	29 29	3 533 3 533	1 469 1 469	331 331	71 71	65.1 65.1	11.5 11.5
5413 54133 541330	Architectural, engineering, & related services . Engineering services . Engineering services .	31 17 17	D 17 504 17 504	D 8 749 8 749	D 1 968 1 968	c 183 183	D 24.8 24.8	D - -
5415 54151 541511 541512 5415122	Computer systems design & related services Computer systems design & related services Custom computer programming services Computer systems design services Computer systems consultants (except systems integrators)	16 16 10 5 4	13 858 13 858 D 6 615 D	5 364 5 364 D 2 605 D	1 834 1 834 D 904 D	170 170 c 67 b	15.5 15.5 D 12.8 D	.8 .8 D – D
5416 54161	Management, scientific, & technical consulting services Management consulting services	18 16	5 413 D	2 357 D	465 D	61 b	27.6 D	1.8 D
5417	Scientific research & development services	3	D	D	D	b	D	D
5418	Advertising & related services	7	D	D	D	b	D	D

¹Includes receipts information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. ²Includes receipts information which was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

Appendix A. Explanation of Terms

ANNUAL PAYROLL

Payroll includes all forms of compensation, such as salaries, wages, commissions, dismissal pay, bonuses, vacation allowances, sick-leave pay, and employee contributions to qualified pension plans paid during the year to all employees. Also included are tips and gratuities received by employees from patrons and reported to employers and the value of payments in kind (e.g., free meals and lodging). If an employee works at more than one location, the payroll is included in the one location where they spend most of their time. Also included are salaries of professional service organizations or associations which operate under state professional corporation statutes and file a corporate Federal income tax return. Excluded are payrolls of departments or concessions operated by other companies at the establishment. For corporations, payroll includes amounts paid to officers and executives; for unincorporated businesses, it does not include profit or other compensation of proprietors or partners. Payroll is reported before deductions for social security, income tax, insurance, union dues, etc. This definition of payroll is the same as that used by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) on Form 941.

EXPENSES (\$1,000)

Includes program service grants, specified assistance to individuals, benefits paid to or for members, payroll, employee benefits, payroll taxes, interest and rent expenses, cost of supplies used for operation, cost of merchandise sold, depreciation expenses, fundraising expenses, contracted or purchased services, and other expenses charged to operations during 1997. Expenses exclude outlays for the purchase of real estate; construction and all other capital improvements; funds invested; assessments or dues paid to the parent or other chapters of the same organization; incomes taxes; sales and other taxes collected directly from customers or clients and paid directly to a local, state, or Federal tax agency; and, for fundraising organizations, funds transferred to charities and other organizations.

FIRST-QUARTER PAYROLL (\$1,000)

Represents payroll paid to persons employed at any time during the quarter January to March 1997.

NUMBER OF ESTABLISHMENTS

An establishment is a single physical location at which business is conducted and/or services are provided. It is not necessarily identical with a company or enterprise, which may consist of one establishment or more. Economic census figures represent a summary of reports for individual establishments rather than companies. For cases where a census report was received, separate information was obtained for each location where business was conducted. When administrative records of other Federal agencies were used instead of a census report, no information was available on the number of locations operated. Each economic census establishment was tabulated according to the physical location at which the business was conducted. The count of establishments represents those in business at any time during 1997.

When two activities or more were carried on at a single location under a single ownership, all activities generally were grouped together as a single establishment. The entire establishment was classified on the basis of its major activity and all data for it were included in that classification. However, when distinct and separate economic activities (for which different industry classification codes were appropriate) were conducted at a single location under a single ownership, separate establishment reports for each of the different activities were obtained in the census. An establishment is included in the census if it is an employer, the establishment has \$1,000 in payroll, and was in operation at any time during 1997. Leased service departments (separately owned businesses operated as departments or concessions of other service establishments or of retail businesses, such as a separately owned shoeshine parlor in a barber shop, or a beauty shop in a department store) are treated as separate service establishments for census purposes. Leased retail departments located in service establishments (e.g., a gift shop located in a hotel) are considered separate retail establishments.

NUMBER OF PAID EMPLOYEES FOR PAY PERIOD INCLUDING MARCH 12

Paid employees consists of full-time and part-time employees, including salaried officers and executives of corporations, who were on the payroll during the pay period including March 12. Included are employees on paid sick leave, paid holidays, and paid vacations; and members of a professional service organization or association which operates under state professional corporation statutes and files a corporate Federal income tax return. Not included are proprietors and partners of unincorporated businesses, and employees of departments or concessions operated by other companies at the establishment. The definition of paid employees is the same as that used on IRS Form 941.

RECEIPTS/REVENUE (\$1,000)

Receipts (basic dollar volume measure for service establishments of firms subject to Federal income tax). Includes receipts from customers or clients for services rendered, from the use of facilities, and from merchandise sold during 1997 whether or not payment was received in 1997. For advertising agencies, travel industries, and other service establishments operating on a commission basis, receipts include commissions, fees, and other operating income, NOT gross billings and sales. Excise taxes on gasoline, liquor, tobacco, etc., which are paid by the manufacturer or wholesaler and passed on in the cost of goods purchased by the service establishment, are also included. The establishments share of receipts from departments, concessions, and vending and amusement machines operated by others are included as part of receipts. Receipts also include the total value of service contracts, market value of compensation received in lieu of cash, amounts received for work subcontracted to others, and dues and assessments from members and affiliates. Receipts from services provided to foreign customers from U.S. locations, including services preformed for foreign parent firms, subsidiaries, and branches are included.

Receipts are net after deductions for refunds and allowances for merchandise returned by customers. Receipts do not include sales, occupancy, admissions, or other taxes collected from customers and remitted directly by the firm to a local, state, or Federal tax agency, nor do they include income from such sources as contributions, gifts, and grants; dividends, interest, and investments; or sale or rental of real estate. Also excluded are receipts (gross) of departments and concessions which are operated by others; sales of used equipment rented or leased to customers; domestic intracompany transfers; receipts of foreign subsidiaries; and other nonoperating income, such as royalties, franchise fees, etc. Receipts do not include service receipts of manufacturers, wholesalers, retail establishments, or other businesses whose primary activity is other than service. They do, however, include receipts other

than from services rendered (e.g., sale of merchandise to individuals or other businesses) by establishments primarily engaged in performing services and classified in the service industries.

Revenue (basic dollar volume measure for firms exempt from Federal income tax). Includes revenue from customers or clients for services rendered and merchandise sold during 1997, whether or not payment was received in 1997, and gross sales of merchandise, minus returns and allowances. Also included are income from interest, dividends, gross rents (including display space rentals and share of receipts from departments operated by other companies), gross contributions, gifts, grants (whether or not restricted for use in operations), royalties, dues and assessments from members and affiliates, commissions earned from the sale of merchandise owned by others (including commissions from vending machine operators), and gross receipts from fundraising activities. Receipts from taxable business activities of firms exempt from Federal income tax (unrelated business income) are also included in revenue.

Revenue does not include sales, admissions, or other taxes collected by the organization from customers or clients and paid directly to a local, state, or Federal tax agency; income from the sale of real estate, investments, or other assets (except inventory held for resale); gross receipts of departments, concessions, etc., that are operated by others; and amounts transferred to operating funds from capital or reserve funds.

SALES, RECEIPTS, OR REVENUE ESTIMATED (PERCENT)

Percent of total sales/receipts/revenue that was imputed based on historic company ratios or administrative records, or on industry averages.

SALES, RECEIPTS, OR REVENUE FROM ADMINISTRA-TIVE RECORDS (PERCENT)

Percent of total sales/receipts/revenue obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies.

Appendix B. NAICS Codes, Titles, and Descriptions

54 PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND TECHNICAL SERVICES

The Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services sector comprises establishments that specialize in performing professional, scientific, and technical activities for others. These activities require a high degree of expertise and training. The establishments in this sector specialize according to expertise and provide these services to clients in a variety of industries and, in some cases, to households. Activities performed include: legal advice and representation; accounting, bookkeeping, and payroll services; architectural, engineering, and specialized design services; dvertising services; photographic services; translation and interpretation services; veterinary services; and other professional, scientific, and technical services.

This sector excludes establishments primarily engaged in providing a range of day-to-day office administrative services, such as financial planning, billing and recordkeeping, personnel, and physical distribution and logistics. These establishments are classified in Sector 56, Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services.

541 Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

Industries in the Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services subsector group establishments engaged in processes where human capital is the major input. These establishments make available the knowledge and skills of their employees, often on an assignment basis, where an individual or team is responsible for the delivery of services to the client. The individual industries of this subsector are defined on the basis of the particular expertise and training of the services provider.

The distinguishing feature of the Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services subsector is the fact that most of the industries grouped in it have production processes that are almost wholly dependent on worker skills. In most of these industries, equipment and materials are not of major importance, unlike health care, for example, where "high tech" machines and materials are important collaborating inputs to labor skills in the production of health care. Thus, the establishments classified in this subsector sell expertise. Much of the expertise requires degrees, though not in every case.

5411 Legal Services

This NAICS industry group includes establishments classified in the following NAICS industries: 54111, Offices of Lawyers; and 54119, Other Legal Services.

54111 Offices of Lawyers

This industry comprises offices of legal practitioners known as lawyers or attorneys (i.e., counselors-at-law) primarily engaged in the practice of law. Establishments in this industry may provide expertise in a range or in specific areas of law, such as criminal law, corporate law, family and estate law, patent law, real estate law, or tax law.

541110 Offices of Lawyers

This industry comprises offices of legal practitioners known as lawyers or attorneys (i.e., counselors-at-law) primarily engaged in the practice of law. Establishments in this industry may provide expertise in a range or in specific areas of law, such as criminal law, corporate law, family and estate law, patent law, real estate law, or tax law.

The data published with NAICS code 541110 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

8111 Legal Services

5411101 Offices of Lawyers (Except Legal Aid Societies)

Establishments, headed by members of the bar, primarily engaged in the practice of law. These establishments may specialize in a particular form of law practice or provide a range of legal services.

5411102 Legal Aid Societies and Similar Legal Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing legal aid or advice and are nonprofit and tax-exempt.

54119 Other Legal Services

This industry comprises establishments of legal practitioners (except lawyers and attorneys) primarily engaged in providing specialized legal or paralegal services.

541191 Title Abstract and Settlement Offices

This U.S. industry comprises establishments (except offices of lawyers and attorneys) primarily engaged in one or more of the following activities: (1) researching public land records to gather information relating to real estate

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titles; (2) preparing documents necessary for the transfer of the title, financing, and settlement; (3) conducting final real estate settlements and closings; and (4) filing legal and other documents relating to the sale of real estate. Real estate settlement offices, title abstract companies, and title search companies are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541191 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

6541 Title and Settlement Offices

541199 All Other Legal Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments of legal practitioners (except offices of lawyers and attorneys, settlement offices, and title abstract offices). These establishments are primarily engaged in providing specialized legal or paralegal services.

The data published with NAICS code 541199 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Process Services, Patent Agents, Notaries Public, and Paralegal Services

5412 Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing services, such as auditing of accounting records, designing accounting systems, preparing financial statements, developing budgets, preparing tax returns, processing payrolls, bookkeeping, and billing.

54121 Accounting, Tax Preparation, Bookkeeping, and Payroll Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing services, such as auditing of accounting records, designing accounting systems, preparing financial statements, developing budgets, preparing tax returns, processing payrolls, bookkeeping, and billing.

541211 Offices of Certified Public Accountants

This U.S. industry comprises establishments of accountants that are certified to audit the accounting records of public and private organizations and to attest to compliance with generally accepted accounting practices. Offices of certified public accountants (CPAs) may provide one or more of the following accounting services: (1) auditing financial statements; (2) designing accounting systems; (3) preparing financial statements; (4) developing budgets; and (5) providing advice on matters related to accounting. These establishments may also provide related services, such as bookkeeping, tax return preparation, and payroll processing.

The data published with NAICS code 541211 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8721 (pt) Offices of Certified Public Accountants

541213 Tax Preparation Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments (except offices of CPAs) engaged in providing tax return preparation services without also providing accounting, bookkeeping, billing, or payroll processing services. Basic knowledge of tax law and filing requirements is required.

The data published with NAICS code 541213 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7291 Tax Preparation Services

541214 Payroll Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments (except offices of CPAs) engaged in the following without also providing accounting, bookkeeping, or billing services: (1) collecting information on hours worked, pay rates, deductions, and other payroll-related data from their clients and (2) using that information to generate paychecks, payroll reports, and tax filings. These establishments may use data processing and tabulating techniques as part of providing their services.

The data published with NAICS code 541214 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7819 (pt) Talent Payment Services 8721 (pt) Payroll Services

5412141 Talent Payment Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing payment services for actors, actresses, and other entertainment professionals.

5412142 Payroll Services (Except Talent Payment Services)

Establishments primarily engaged in the following, without also providing accounting or accounts auditing services: (a) collecting information on hours worked, pay rates, deductions, and other payroll-related data from their clients; and (b) using that information to generate paychecks, payroll reports, and tax filings. These establishments may use data processing and tabulating techniques in the execution of their services.

541219 Other Accounting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments (except offices of CPAs) engaged in providing accounting services (except tax return preparation services only or payroll services only). These establishments may also provide tax return preparation or payroll services. Accountant (except CPA) offices, bookkeeper offices, and billing offices are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541219 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8721 (pt) Other Accounting Services

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5413 Architectural, Engineering, and Related Services

This NAICS industry group includes establishments classified in the following NAICS industries: 54131, Architectural Services; 54133, Engineering Services; 54134, Drafting Services; 54135, Building Inspection Services; 54136, Geophysical Surveying and Mapping Services; 54137, Surveying and Mapping (Except Geophysical) Services; and 54138, Testing Laboratories.

54131 Architectural Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning and designing residential, institutional, leisure, commercial, and industrial buildings and structures by applying knowledge of design, construction procedures, zoning regulations, building codes, and building materials.

541310 Architectural Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning and designing residential, institutional, leisure, commercial, and industrial buildings and structures by applying knowledge of design, construction procedures, zoning regulations, building codes, and building materials.

The data published with NAICS code 541310 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

8712 Architectural Services

54133 Engineering Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in applying physical laws and principles of engineering in the design, development, and utilization of machines, materials, instruments, structures, processes, and systems. The assignments undertaken by these establishments may involve any of the following activities: provision of advice, preparation of feasibility studies, preparation of preliminary and final plans and designs, provision of technical services during the construction or installation phase, inspection and evaluation of engineering projects, and related services.

541330 Engineering Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in applying physical laws and principles of engineering in the design, development, and utilization of machines, materials, instruments, structures, processes, and systems. The assignments undertaken by these establishments may involve any of the following activities: provision of advice, preparation of feasibility studies, preparation of preliminary and final plans and designs, provision of technical services during the construction or installation phase, inspection and evaluation of engineering projects, and related services. The data published with NAICS code 541330 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

8711 Engineering Services

54134 Drafting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in drawing detailed layouts, plans, and illustrations of buildings, structures, systems, or components from engineering and architectural specifications.

541340 Drafting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in drawing detailed layouts, plans, and illustrations of buildings, structures, systems, or components from engineering and architectural specifications.

The data published with NAICS code 541340 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Drafting Services

54135 Building Inspection Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing building inspection services. These establishments typically evaluate all aspects of the building structure and component systems and prepare a report on the physical condition of the property, generally for buyers or others involved in real estate transactions. Building inspection bureaus and establishments providing home inspection services are included in this industry.

541350 Building Inspection Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing building inspection services. These establishments typically evaluate all aspects of the building structure and component systems and prepare a report on the physical condition of the property, generally for buyers or others involved in real estate transactions. Building inspection bureaus and establishments providing home inspection services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541350 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Building Inspection Services

54136 Geophysical Surveying and Mapping Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in gathering, interpreting, and mapping geophysical data. Establishments in this industry often specialize in locating and measuring the extent of subsurface resources, such as oil, gas, and minerals, but they may also conduct surveys for engineering purposes. Establishments in this industry use a variety of surveying techniques depending on the purpose of the survey, including magnetic surveys, gravity surveys, seismic surveys, or electrical and electromagnetic surveys.

541360 Geophysical Surveying and Mapping Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in gathering, interpreting, and mapping geophysical data. Establishments in this industry often specialize in locating and measuring the extent of subsurface resources, such as oil, gas, and minerals, but they may also conduct surveys for engineering purposes. Establishments in this industry use a variety of surveying techniques depending on the purpose of the survey, including magnetic surveys, gravity surveys, seismic surveys, or electrical and electromagnetic surveys.

The data published with NAICS code 541360 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

- 1081 (pt) Geophysical Surveying Services for Metal Mining, on a Contract Basis
- 1382 (pt) Geophysical Surveying Services for Oil and Gas Fields, on a Contract Basis
- 1481 (pt) Geophysical Surveying Services for Nonmetallic Minerals (Except Fuels) on a Contract Basis
- 8713 (pt) Geophysical Surveying

5413601 Geophysical Surveying

Establishments primarily engaged in surveying and mapping of subsurface terrain or formations. Establishments in this industry specialize in such areas as identifying the location of subsurface fault lines and mineral deposits using a variety of surveying techniques including magnetic surveys, gravity surveys, seismic surveys, or electrical and electromagnetic surveys.

5413602 Geophysical Surveying Services Only for Metal Mining, Contract Basis

Establishments primarily engaged in surveying and mapping subsurface terrain or formations for metal mining.

5413603 Geophysical Surveying Services Only for Oil and Gas Fields, Contract Basis

Establishments primarily engaged in surveying and mapping subsurface and surface terrain or formations for oil and gas fields.

5413604 Geophysical Surveying Services Only for Nonmetallic Mineral (Except Fuels), Contract Basis

Establishments primarily engaged in surveying and mapping subsurface terrain or formations for nonmetallic minerals, except fuels.

54137 Surveying and Mapping (Except Geophysical) Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in performing surveying and mapping services of the surface of the earth, including the sea floor. These services may include surveying and mapping of areas above or below the surface of the earth, such as the creation of view easements or segregating rights in parcels of land by creating underground utility easements.

541370 Surveying and Mapping (Except Geophysical) Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in performing surveying and mapping services of the surface of the earth, including the sea floor. These services may include surveying and mapping of areas above or below the surface of the earth, such as the creation of view easements or segregating rights in parcels of land by creating underground utility easements.

The data published with NAICS code 541370 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7389 (pt) Map Making Services

8713 (pt) Surveying Services

5413701 Surveying Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing professional land and water surveying services (except geophysical) or providing land, water, and underwater terrain survey mapping services.

5413702 Map Making Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing land, water, and underwater terrain mapping services, without surveying services.

54138 Testing Laboratories

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in performing physical, chemical, and other analytical testing services, such as acoustics or vibration testing, assaying, biological testing (except medical and veterinary), calibration testing, electrical and electronic testing, geotechnical testing, mechanical testing, nondestructive testing, or thermal testing. The testing may occur in a laboratory or on-site.

541380 Testing Laboratories

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in performing physical, chemical, and other analytical testing services, such as acoustics or vibration testing, assaying, biological testing (except medical and veterinary), calibration testing, electrical and electronic testing, geotechnical testing, mechanical testing, nondestructive testing, or thermal testing. The testing may occur in a laboratory or on-site.

The data published with NAICS code 541380 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8734 (pt) Testing Laboratories

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5414 Specialized Design Services

This industry group comprises establishments providing specialized design services (except architectural, engineering, and computer systems design).

54141 Interior Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning, designing, and administering projects in interior spaces to meet the physical and aesthetic needs of people using them, taking into consideration building codes, health and safety regulations, traffic patterns and floor planning, mechanical and electrical needs, and interior fittings and furniture. Interior designers and interior design consultants work in areas, such as hospitality design, health care design, institutional design, commercial and corporate design, and residential design. This industry also includes interior decorating consultants engaged exclusively in providing aesthetic services associated with interior spaces.

541410 Interior Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning, designing, and administering projects in interior spaces to meet the physical and aesthetic needs of people using them, taking into consideration building codes, health and safety regulations, traffic patterns and floor planning, mechanical and electrical needs, and interior fittings and furniture. Interior designers and interior design consultants work in areas, such as hospitality design, health care design, institutional design, commercial and corporate design, and residential design. This industry also includes interior decorating consultants engaged exclusively in providing aesthetic services associated with interior spaces.

The data published with NAICS code 541410 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Interior Design Services

54142 Industrial Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating and developing designs and specifications that optimize the use, value, and appearance of their products. These services can include the determination of the materials, construction, mechanisms, shape, color, and surface finishes of the product, taking into consideration human characteristics and needs, safety, market appeal, and efficiency in production, distribution, use, and maintenance. Establishments providing automobile or furniture industrial design services or industrial design consulting services are included in this industry.

541420 Industrial Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating and developing designs and specifications that optimize the use, value, and appearance of their products. These services can include the determination of the materials, construction, mechanisms, shape, color, and surface finishes of the product, taking into consideration human characteristics and needs, safety, market appeal, and efficiency in production, distribution, use, and maintenance. Establishments providing automobile or furniture industrial design services or industrial design consulting services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541420 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Industrial Design Services

54143 Graphic Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning, designing, and managing the production of visual communication in order to convey specific messages or concepts, clarify complex information, or project visual identities. These services can include the design of printed materials, packaging, advertising, signage systems, and corporate identification (logos). This industry also includes commercial artists engaged exclusively in generating drawings and illustrations requiring technical accuracy or interpretative skills.

541430 Graphic Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning, designing, and managing the production of visual communication in order to convey specific messages or concepts, clarify complex information, or project visual identities. These services can include the design of printed materials, packaging, advertising, signage systems, and corporate identification (logos). This industry also includes commercial artists engaged exclusively in generating drawings and illustrations requiring technical accuracy or interpretative skills.

The data published with NAICS code 541430 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7336 Commercial Art and Graphic Design 8099 (pt) Medical Artists

5414301 Graphic Design Services (Except Commercial Art and Medical Artists)

Establishments primarily engaged in planning, designing and managing the production of the design of printed materials, packaging video screen displays, advertising signage systems, and corporate logos.

5414302 Commercial Art

Establishments primarily engaged in providing commercial art and illustration services.

5414303 Medical Artists

Establishments primarily engaged in providing commercial sketches and drawings of body parts and other biological objects.

54149 Other Specialized Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing professional design services (except architectural, landscape architecture, engineering, interior, industrial, graphic, and computer system design).

541490 Other Specialized Design Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing professional design services (except architectural, landscape architecture, engineering, interior, industrial, graphic, and computer system design).

The data published with NAICS code 541490 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Other Design Services

5415 Computer Systems Design and Related Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing expertise in the field of information technologies through one or more of the following activities: (1) writing, modifying, testing, and supporting software to meet the needs of a particular customer; (2) planning and designing computer systems that integrate computer hardware, software, and communication technologies; (3) on-site management and operation of clients' computer systems and/or data processing facilities; and (4) other professional and technical computer-related advice and services.

54151 Computer Systems Design and Related Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing expertise in the field of information technologies through one or more of the following activities: (1) writing, modifying, testing, and supporting software to meet the needs of a particular customer; (2) planning and designing computer systems that integrate computer hardware, software, and communication technologies; (3) on-site management and operation of clients' computer systems and/or data processing facilities; and (4) other professional and technical computer-related advice and services.

541511 Custom Computer Programming Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in writing, modifying, testing, and supporting software to meet the needs of a particular customer.

The data published with NAICS code 541511 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7371 Custom Computer Programming Services

541512 Computer Systems Design Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in planning and designing computer systems that integrate computer hardware, software, and communication technologies. The hardware and software components of the system may be provided by this establishment or company as part of integrated services or may be provided by third parties or vendors. These establishments often install the system and train and support users of the system.

The data published with NAICS code 541512 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7373 Computer Systems Integrators 7379 (pt) Computer Systems Consultants

5415121 Computer Systems Integrators

Establishments primarily engaged in developing or modifying computer software, and packaging or bundling the software with computer hardware (computers and computer peripheral equipment) to create and market an integrated system for specific applications. These establishments must provide each of the following services: (1) the development or modification of the computer software; (2) the marketing of purchased computer hardware; and (3) involvement in all phases of system development from design through installation.

5415122 Computer Systems Consultants (Except Systems Integrators)

Establishments primarily engaged in consulting with clients and planning and designing systems that integrate computer hardware, software, and communication technologies.

541513 Computer Facilities Management Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing on-site management and operation of clients' computer systems and/or data processing facilities. Establishments providing computer systems or data processing facilities support services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541513 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7376 Computer Facilities Management Services

541519 Other Computer Related Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing computer related services (except custom programming, systems integration design, and facilities management services). Establishments providing computer disaster recovery services or software installation services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541519 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7379 (pt) All Other Computer Consultants, (Except Computer Systems Consultants)

7379 (pt) All Other Computer Related Services

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5415191 Computer Consultants (Except Computer Systems Consultants)

Establishments primarily engaged in providing computer consulting services (except computer systems consulting).

5415199 All Other Computer Related Services

Establishments primarily engaged in supplying computer related services (except computer programming services, computer systems integrators, computer facilities management services, and computer consultants).

5416 Management, Scientific, and Technical Consulting Services

This NAICS industry group includes establishments classified in the following NAICS industries: 54161, Management Consulting Services; 54162, Environmental Consulting Services; and 54169, Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services.

54161 Management Consulting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on management issues, such as strategic and organizational planning; financial planning and budgeting; marketing objectives and policies; human resource policies, practices, and planning; production scheduling; and control planning.

541611 Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing operating advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on administrative management issues, such as financial planning and budgeting, equity and asset management, records management, office planning, strategic and organizational planning, site selection, new business startup, and business process improvement. This industry also includes establishments of general management consultants that provide a full range of administrative; human resource; marketing; process, physical distribution, and logistics; or other management consulting services to clients.

The data published with NAICS code 541611 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8742 (pt) Administrative Management and General Management Consulting Services

541612 Human Resources and Executive Search Consulting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations in one or more of the following areas: (1) human resource and personnel policies, practices, and procedures; (2) employee benefits planning, communication, and administration; (3) compensation systems planning; (4) wage and salary administration; and (5) executive search and recruitment.

The data published with NAICS code 541612 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7361 (pt) Executive Placement Services

8742 (pt) Human Resources and Personnel Management Consulting

8999 (pt) Actuarial Consulting Services

5416121 Actuarial Consulting

Establishments primarily engaged in applying statistical calculation especially of life expectancy in assessing life, health, social, and casualty insurance; annuities; pensions; and compensation and benefits planning.

5416122 Executive Placement Services

Establishments primarily engaged in executive search and recruitment services or executive placement services.

5416123 Human Resources and Personnel Management Consulting

Establishments primarily engaged in one or more of the following: (a) providing operating advice and assistance in areas, such as human resource and personnel policies, practices, and procedures; (b) employee benefits planning, communication, and administration; (c) compensation systems planning; and (d) wage and salary administration.

541613 Marketing Consulting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing operating advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on marketing issues, such as developing marketing objectives and policies, sales forecasting, new product developing and pricing, licensing and franchise planning, and marketing planning and strategy.

The data published with NAICS code 541613 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8742 (pt) Marketing Consulting Services

541614 Process, Physical Distribution, and Logistics Consulting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing operating advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations in areas, such as: (1) manufacturing operations improvement; (2) productivity improvement; (3) production planning and control; (4) quality assurance and quality control; (5) inventory management; (6) distribution networks; (7) warehouse use, operations, and utilization; (8) transportation and shipment of goods and materials; and (9) materials management and handling.

The data published with NAICS code 541614 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8742 (pt) Process, Physical, Distribution, and Logistics Consulting

541618 Other Management Consulting Services

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing management consulting services (except administrative and general management consulting; human resources consulting; marketing consulting; or process, physical distribution, and logistics consulting). Establishments providing telecommunications or utilities management consulting services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541618 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

4731 (pt) Tariff Consultants

8748 (pt) Other Management Consulting Services

5416181 Tariff Consulting

Establishments primarily engaged in providing information and advise on freight shipping or tariffs.

5416182 All Other Management Consulting Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing management consulting services (expert administrative and general management consulting; human resource consulting; marketing consulting; tariff consulting; or process, physical distribution, and logistics consulting). Establishments providing telecommunications or utilities management consulting services are included in this industry.

54162 Environmental Consulting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on environmental issues, such as the control of environmental contamination from pollutants, toxic substances, and hazardous materials. These establishments identify problems (e.g., inspect buildings for hazardous materials), measure and evaluate risks, and recommend solutions. They employ a multidisciplined staff of scientists, engineers, and other technicians with expertise in areas, such as air and water quality, asbestos contamination, remediation, and environmental law. Establishments providing sanitation or site remediation consulting services are included in this industry.

541620 Environmental Consulting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on environmental issues, such as the control of environmental contamination from pollutants, toxic substances, and hazardous materials. These establishments identify problems (e.g., inspect buildings for hazardous materials), measure and evaluate risks, and recommend solutions. They employ a multidisciplined staff of scientists, engineers, and other technicians with expertise in areas, such as air and water quality, asbestos contamination, remediation, and environmental law. Establishments providing sanitation or site remediation consulting services are included in this industry.

The data published with NAICS code 541620 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8999 (pt) Environmental Consulting Services

54169 Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on scientific and technical issues (except environmental).

541690 Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to businesses and other organizations on scientific and technical issues (except environmental).

The data published with NAICS code 541690 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

- 8748 (pt) Other Scientific and Technical Consulting Services
- 8999 (pt) Scientific and Related Consulting Services (Except Environmental and Actuarial)

5416901 Economic and Related Consulting Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing advice and assistance to business and other organizations on scientific and technical issues (except environmental).

5416902 Scientific and Related Consulting Services (Except Environmental and Actuarial)

Establishments primarily engaged in furnishing scientific or related advice on a contract or fee basis.

5417 Scientific Research and Development Services

This industry group comprises establishments engaged in conducting original investigation undertaken on a systematic basis to gain new knowledge (research) and/or the application of research findings or other scientific knowledge for the creation of new or significantly improved products or processes (experimental development). The industries within this industry group are defined on the basis of the domain of research; that is, on the scientific expertise of the establishment.

54171 Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in the physical, engineering, or life sciences, such as agriculture, electronics, environmental, biology, botany, biotechnology, computers, chemistry, food, fisheries, forests, geology, health, mathematics, medicine, oceanography, pharmacy, physics, veterinary, and other allied subjects.

541710 Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in the physical, engineering, or life sciences, such as agriculture, electronics, environmental, biology, botany, biotechnology, computers, chemistry, food, fisheries, forests, geology, health, mathematics, medicine, oceanography, pharmacy, physics, veterinary, and other allied subjects.

The data published with NAICS code 541710 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

- 8731 (pt) Commercial Physical and Engineering Sciences Research
- 8733 (pt) Noncommercial Physical and Engineering Sciences Research
- 8731 (pt) Commercial Life Sciences Research
- 8733 (pt) Noncommercial Life Sciences Research

5417101 Research and Development in the Physical and Engineering Sciences

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in the physical sciences, engineering, electronics, computer, chemistry, oceanography, geology, mathematics, physics, environmental, and other allied subjects.

54171011 Noncommercial Research and Development in the Physical and Engineering Sciences

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting noncommercial research and experimental development in the physical sciences, engineering, electronics, computer, chemistry, oceanography, geology, mathematics, physics, environmental, and other allied subjects funded from gifts, grants, and contributions.

54171012 Commercial Research and Development in the Physical and Engineering Sciences

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting commercial research and experimental development in the physical sciences, engineering, electronics, computer, chemistry, oceanography, geology, mathematics, physics, environmental, and other allied subjects on a fee or contract basis.

5417102 Research and Development in the Life Sciences

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in medicine, health, biology, botany, biotechnology, agriculture, fisheries, forests, pharmacy, and other life sciences including veterinary sciences.

54171021 Noncommercial Research and Development in the Life Sciences

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in medicine, health, biology, botany, biotechnology, agriculture, fisheries, forests, pharmacy, and other life sciences including veterinary sciences. The noncommercial establishments included here operate primarily on funds from gifts, grants, and contributions.

54171022 Commercial Research and Development in the Life Sciences

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and experimental development in medicine, health, biology, botany, biotechnology, agriculture, fisheries, forests, pharmacy, and other life sciences including veterinary sciences, on a contract or fee (commercial) basis.

54172 Research and Development in the Social Sciences and Humanities

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and analyses in cognitive development, sociology, psychology, language, behavior, economic, and other social science and humanities research.

541720 Research and Development in the Social Sciences and Humanities

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and analyses in cognitive development, sociology, psychology, language, behavior, economic, and other social science and humanities research.

The data published with NAICS code 541720 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

8732 (pt) Social Science and Humanities Research

8733 (pt) Noncommercial Research in Social Sciences and Humanities

5417201 Noncommercial Research and Development in the Social Sciences and Humanities

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and analysis in education, sociology, psychology, language, behavior, economic, legal, and other social science and humanities research. The noncommercial establishments included here operate primarily on funds from gifts, grants, and contributions.

5417202 Commercial Research and Development in the Social Sciences and Humanities

Establishments primarily engaged in conducting research and analysis in education, sociology, psychology, language, behavior, economic, legal, and other social science and humanities research on a contract or fee (commercial) basis.

5418 Advertising and Related Services

This NAICS industry group includes establishments classified in the following NAICS industries: 54181, Advertising Agencies; 54182, Public Relations Agencies; 54183, Media Buying Agencies; 54184, Media Representatives; 54185, Display Advertising; 54186, Direct Mail Advertising; 54187, Advertising Material Distribution Services; and 84189, Other Services Related to Advertising.

54181 Advertising Agencies

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating advertising campaigns and placing such advertising in periodicals, newspapers, radio and television, or other media. These establishments are organized to provide a full range of services (i.e., through in-house capabilities or subcontracting), including advice, creative services, account management, production of advertising material, media planning, and buying (i.e., placing advertising).

541810 Advertising Agencies

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating advertising campaigns and placing such advertising in periodicals, newspapers, radio and television, or other media. These establishments are organized to provide a full range of services (i.e., through in-house capabilities or subcontracting), including advice, creative services, account management, production of advertising material, media planning, and buying (i.e., placing advertising).

The data published with NAICS code 541810 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7311 Advertising Agencies

54182 Public Relations Agencies

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in designing and implementing public relations campaigns. These campaigns are designed to promote the interests and image of their clients. Establishments providing lobbying, political consulting, or public relations consulting are included in this industry.

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The data published with NAICS code 541820 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

8743 Public Relations Services

54183 Media Buying Agencies

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in purchasing advertising time or space from media outlets and reselling it to advertising agencies or individual companies directly.

541830 Media Buying Agencies

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in purchasing advertising time or space from media outlets and reselling it to advertising agencies or individual companies directly.

The data published with NAICS code 541830 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7319 (pt) Media Buying Services

54184 Media Representatives

This industry comprises establishments of independent representatives primarily engaged in selling media time or space for media owners.

541840 Media Representatives

This industry comprises establishments of independent representatives primarily engaged in selling media time or space for media owners.

The data published with NAICS code 541840 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7313 Radio, Television, and Publishers' Advertising Representatives

5418401 Radio and Television Advertising Representatives

Establishments primarily engaged in selling time or space to advertisers or advertising agencies for radio or television station (or network) owners.

5418402 Publishers' Advertising Representatives

Establishments primarily engaged in selling time or space to advertisers or advertising agencies for newspapers, magazines, and other publications.

54185 Display Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating and designing public display advertising, campaign materials, such as printed, painted, or electronic displays, and/or placing such displays on indoor or outdoor billboards and panels, or on or within transit vehicles or facilities, shopping malls, retail (in-store) displays, and other display structures or sites.

541850 Display Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in creating and designing public display advertising, campaign materials, such as printed, painted, or electronic displays, and/or placing such displays on indoor or outdoor billboards and panels, or on or within transit vehicles or facilities, shopping malls, retail (in-store) displays, and other display structures or sites.

The data published with NAICS code 541850 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7312 Outdoor Advertising Services7319 (pt) Display Advertising, Except Outdoor

5418501 Display Advertising (Except Outdoor)

Establishments primarily engaged in preparing display advertising services (except outdoor).

5418502 Outdoor Advertising Services

Establishments primarily engaged in the preparation and presentation of poster displays and painted and electric sign displays on billboards, panels, bulletins, and frames principally outdoors.

54186 Direct Mail Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in (1) creating and designing advertising campaigns for the purpose of distributing advertising materials (e.g., coupons, flyers, samples) or specialties (e.g., key chains, magnets, pens with customized messages imprinted) by mail or other direct distribution; and/or (2) preparing advertising materials or specialties for mailing or other direct distribution. These establishments may also compile, maintain, sell, and rent mailing lists.

541860 Direct Mail Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in (1) creating and designing advertising campaigns for the purpose of distributing advertising materials (e.g., coupons, flyers, samples) or specialties (e.g., key chains, magnets, pens with customized messages imprinted) by mail or other direct distribution; and/or (2) preparing advertising materials or specialties for mailing or other direct distribution. These establishments may also compile, maintain, sell, and rent mailing lists.

The data published with NAICS code 541860 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7331 (pt) Direct Mail Advertising Services (Except Mail List Services)

54187 Advertising Material Distribution Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in the direct distribution or delivery of advertisements (e.g., circulars, coupons, handbills) or samples. Establishments in this industry use methods, such as delivering advertisements or samples door-to-door, placing flyers or coupons on car windshields in parking lots, or handing out samples in retail stores.

541870 Advertising Material Distribution Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in the direct distribution or delivery of advertisements (e.g., circulars, coupons, handbills) or samples. Establishments in this industry use methods, such as delivering advertisements or samples door-to-door, placing flyers or coupons on car windshields in parking lots, or handing out samples in retail stores.

The data published with NAICS code 541870 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7319 (pt) Advertising Materials Distribution Services

54189 Other Services Related to Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advertising services (except advertising agency services, public relations agency services, media buying agency services, media representative services, display advertising services, direct mail advertising services, advertising material distribution services, and marketing consulting services).

541890 Other Services Related to Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advertising services (except advertising agency services, public relations agency services, media buying agency services, media representative services, display advertising services, direct mail advertising services, advertising material distribution services, and marketing consulting services).

The data published with NAICS code 541890 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

5199 (pt) Advertising Specialties Goods Distributors

- 7319 (pt) Other Advertising Services
- 7389 (pt) Sign Painting and Lettering Shop

7389 (pt) Welcoming Services

5418901 Welcoming Services

Establishments primarily engaged in providing promotional business services to tourists and new residents of a community.

5418902 Advertising Specialities Goods Distributors

Establishments primarily engaged in the wholesale distribution of advertising novelties and specialties.

5418903 Sign Painting and Lettering Shop

Establishments primarily engaged in making signs to individual order or in office door and window lettering.

5418909 All Other Advertising

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing advertising services (except advertising agency services, public relations agency services, media buying agency services, media representative services, display advertising services, direct mail advertising services, advertising material distribution services, sign painting and lettering shops, marketing consulting services, and welcoming services).

5419 Other Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

This industry group comprises establishments engaged in professional, scientific, and technical services (except legal services; accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and related services; architectural, engineering, and related services; specialized design services; computer systems design and related services; management, scientific, and technical consulting services; scientific research and development services; and advertising and related services).

54191 Marketing Research and Public Opinion Polling

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in systematically gathering, recording, tabulating, and presenting marketing and public opinion data.

541910 Marketing Research and Public Opinion Polling

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in systematically gathering, recording, tabulating, and presenting marketing and public opinion data.

The data published with NAICS code 541910 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

8732 (pt) Marketing Research and Public Opinion Polling

54192 Photographic Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing still, video, or digital photography services. These establishments may specialize in a particular field of photography, such as commercial and industrial photography, portrait photography, and special events photography. Commercial or portrait photography studios are included in this industry.

541921 Photography Studios, Portrait

This U.S. industry comprises establishments known as portrait studios primarily engaged in providing still, video, or digital portrait photography services.

The data published with NAICS code 541921 are comprised of the following SIC industry:

7221 Photographic Studios, Portrait

541922 Commercial Photography

This U.S. industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in providing commercial photography services, generally for advertising agencies, publishers, and other business and industrial users.

The data published with NAICS code 541922 are comprised of these parts of the following SIC industries:

7335 Commercial Photography 8099 (pt) Medical Photography

5419221 Commercial Photography (Except Medical

Establishments primarily engaged in providing commercial photography services (except medical photography).

5419222 Medical Photography

Photography)

Establishments primarily engaged in making still photographs or motion pictures of body parts, medical specimens, or other biological objects.

54193 Translation and Interpretation Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in translating written material and interpreting speech from one language to another and establishments primarily engaged in providing sign language services.

541930 Translation and Interpretation Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in translating written material and interpreting speech from one language to another and establishments primarily engaged in providing sign language services.

The data published with NAICS code 541930 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) Translation and Interpretation Services

54199 All Other Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in the provision of professional, scientific, or technical services (except legal services; accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and related services; architectural, engineering, and related services; specialized design services; computer systems design and related services; management, scientific, and technical consulting services; scientific research and development services; advertising and related services; market research and public opinion polling; photographic services; translation and interpretation services; and veterinary services).

541990 All Other Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

This industry comprises establishments primarily engaged in the provision of professional, scientific, or

technical services (except legal services; accounting, tax preparation, bookkeeping, and related services; architectural, engineering, and related services; specialized design services; computer systems design and related services; management, scientific, and technical consulting services; scientific research and development services; advertising and related services; market research and public opinion polling; photographic services; translation and interpretation services; and veterinary services).

The data published with NAICS code 541990 are comprised of this part of the following SIC industry:

7389 (pt) All Other Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services

Appendix C. Coverage and Methodology

MAIL/NONMAIL UNIVERSE

For this sector, large- and medium-size firms, plus all firms known to operate more than one establishment, were sent questionnaires to be completed and returned to the Census Bureau by mail. For most very small firms, data from existing administrative records of other Federal agencies were used instead. These records provided basic information on location, kind of business, receipts, payroll, number of employees, and legal form of organization.

Firms in the 1997 Economic Census were divided into the mail universe and nonmail universe. The coverage of and the method of obtaining census information from each are described below:

- 1. The mail universe consisted of firms for which information was obtained by means of a mail canvass and included:
 - a. Large employers, i.e., all multiestablishment firms, and all employer firms with payroll above a specified cutoff (The term "employers" refers to firms with one or more paid employees at any time during 1997 as shown in the active administrative records of other Federal agencies.).
 - b. A sample of small employers, i.e., singleestablishment firms with payroll below a specified cutoff, in classifications for which specialized data precluded reliance solely on administrative records sources.
- 2. The nonmail universe consisted of firms that were not required to file a regular census return and included:
 - a. Selected small employers, i.e., single-establishment firms with payroll below a specified cutoff. Although the payroll cutoff varied by kind of business, small employers in the nonmail universe generally included firms with less than 10 employees and represented about 10 percent of total receipts of establishments covered in the census. Data on receipts, payroll, and employment for small employers in the nonmail universe were derived or estimated from administrative records of other Federal agencies.
 - b. All taxable nonemployers, i.e., all firms subject to Federal income tax with no paid employees during 1997. Receipts information for these firms was obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. Although consisting of many firms,

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nonemployers accounted for less than 10-percent of total receipts of all establishments covered in the census. The census included only those nonemployer firms which reported a receipts volume of \$1,000 or more during 1997. Establishments exempt from Federal income tax with no paid employees were excluded as in previous censuses. Data for nonemployers are not included in this report, but are released as part of the Core Business Statistics Series.

INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS

The classifications for all establishments in this sector were assigned in accordance with the 1997 North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Manual, United States. NAICS is a common classification system developed by the United States, Canada, and Mexico. This system replaces the 1987 Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) that was used in previous censuses. Appendix A of the 1997 NAICS manual provides information on the comparability between the 1987 SIC and the 1997 NAICS. More information on NAICS is available in the NAICS manual and at www.census.gov/naics.

The method of assigning classifications, and the level of detail at which establishments were classified, differed between the mail and nonmail universe as follows:

1. The mail universe.

Establishments in the mail universe were classified on the basis of their self-designation, sources of receipts, and other industry-specific inquiries.

- 2. The nonmail universe.
 - a. Selected small employers were classified on the basis of the most current kind-of-business classification available from one of the Census Bureau's current sample surveys or the 1992 Economic Census. Otherwise, the classification was obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies. If the census or administrative record classifications proved inadequate (none corresponded to a 1997 Economic Census classification in the detail required for employers), the firm was sent a brief inquiry requesting information necessary to assign a 1997 census kind-of-business code.
 - b. Nonemployers were classified on the basis of information obtained from administrative records of other Federal agencies.

METHOD OF ASSIGNING TAX STATUS

For kind-of-business classifications where there were substantial numbers of taxable and tax-exempt establishments, establishments were classified based on the Federal income tax filing requirement for the establishment or organization. This classification was based primarily on the response to an inquiry on the census questionnaire. Establishments that indicated that all or part of their income was exempt from Federal income tax under provisions of section 501 of the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) code were classified as tax-exempt; establishments indicating no such exemption were classified as taxable. All government-operated hospitals were classified as taxexempt. For establishments in the nonmail universe, the tax status classification was based upon the type of tax return filed by the firm or organization.

For selected kind-of-business classifications that are comprised primarily of tax-exempt establishments, all establishments in those classifications were defined as tax-exempt. All establishments in the remaining kind-ofbusiness classifications (comprised primarily of taxable establishments) were defined as taxable.

RELIABILITY OF DATA

All data compiled for this sector are subject to nonsampling errors. Nonsampling errors can be attributed to many sources: inability to identify all cases in the actual universe; definition and classification difficulties; differences in the interpretation of questions; errors in recording or coding the data obtained; and other errors of collection, response, coverage, processing, and estimation for missing or misreported data.

Data presented in the Miscellaneous Subjects and the Sources of Receipt or Revenue reports for this sector are subject to sampling errors as well as nonsampling errors. Specifically, these data are estimated based on information obtained from census questionnaires mailed to all large employers and to a sample of small employers in the universe. Sampling errors affect these estimates insofar as they may differ from results that would be obtained from a complete enumeration.

The accuracy of these tabulated data is determined by the joint effects of the various nonsampling errors or by the joint effects of sampling and nonsampling errors. No direct measurement of these effects has been obtained except for estimation for missing or misreported data; however, precautionary steps were taken in all phases of the collection, processing, and tabulation of the data in an effort to minimize the effects of nonsampling errors.

The Census Bureau obtains limited information extracted from administrative records of other Federal agencies. This information is used in conjunction with other information available to the Census Bureau to develop estimates for nonemployers, small employers, and other establishments for which responses were not received in time for publication.

TREATMENT OF NONRESPONSE

Census report forms included two different types of inquiries, "basic" and "industry-specific." Data for the basic inquiries, which include location, kind of business or operation, receipts or revenue, payroll, number of employees, and legal form of organization, were available from a combination of sources for all establishments. Data for industry-specific inquiries, tailored to the particular kinds of business or operation covered by the report, were available only from the establishments in the mail universe that completed the appropriate inquiries on the questionnaire.

Two methods were used to account for nonresponse to industry-specific inquiries. For some inquiries, missing data was imputed for individual records based on responses from similar establishments. For other inquiries, the total of reported data was expanded to represent 100 percent of the mail and nonmail universe. Data presented for industry-specific inquiries based on a December 31 reference date were expanded in direct relationship to total receipts or revenue of only those establishments in business at the end of the year. Unless otherwise noted in specific reports, data for other industry-specific inquiries were expanded in direct relationship to total receipts or revenue of all establishments included in the category. In a few cases, expansion on the basis of the receipts or revenue item was not appropriate, and another basic data item was used as the basis for expansion.

All reports in which data were expanded to account for nonmail employers and nonrespondents include a coverage indicator for each publication category, which shows the receipts or revenue of establishments responding to the industry-specific inquiry as a percent of total receipts or revenue for all establishments for which data are shown. For some inquiries, coverage is determined by the ratio of total payroll or employment of establishments responding to the inquiry to total payroll or employment of all establishments in the category.

Appendix D. Geographic Notes

VERMONT

There are no geographic notes for the state of Vermont.

Appendix E. Metropolitan Areas

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Burlington, VT MSA

Chittenden County, VT (Part) Burlington city, VT Colchester town, VT Essex Junction village, VT South Burlington city, VT Winooski city, VT

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Franklin County, VT (Part) St. Albans city, VT Swanton village, VT Grand Isle County, VT (Part)