

**Table 1270. U.S. Exporting Companies Profile by Employment-Size Class: 2000 and 2006**

[(668,310 represents \$668,310,000,000.) Based on data from export trade documents and the Business Register. For information on data limitations, see the Technical Documentation in the source]

Employment-size class	Number of exporters		Known export value <sup>1</sup> (mil. dol.)		Percent of—			
					Number of exporters		Known export value	
	2000	2006	2000	2006	2000	2006	2000	2006
<b>All companies, total . . .</b>	<b>246,452</b>	<b>245,945</b>	<b>668,310</b>	<b>910,465</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>100.0</b>
No employees . . . . .	74,772	76,115	47,024	63,022	30.3	30.9	7.0	6.9
1 to 19 employees . . . . .	96,268	101,254	45,272	61,850	39.1	41.2	6.8	6.8
20 to 49 employees . . . . .	31,362	30,178	21,262	30,714	12.7	12.3	3.2	3.4
50 to 99 employees . . . . .	16,988	15,524	19,711	27,335	6.9	6.3	2.9	3.0
100 to 249 employees. . . . .	13,685	11,775	32,192	44,170	5.6	4.8	4.8	4.9
250 to 499 employees. . . . .	5,454	4,441	27,397	35,908	2.2	1.8	4.1	3.9
500 or more employees. . . . .	7,923	6,658	475,453	647,466	3.2	2.7	71.1	71.1

<sup>1</sup> Known value is defined as the value of exports by known exporters, i.e., those export transactions that could be matched to specific companies. Export values are on f.a.s. or “free alongside ship basis.”

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, *A Profile of U.S. Exporting Companies, 2000 and 2005–2006*. See also <<http://www.census.gov/foreign-trade/Press-Release/edb/2006/edb-3a.pdf>>; (released 11 January 2008).