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<b>Private Industry<sup>7</sup></b>		3,087.6	5.8	2.6	1.4	3.2	5.4	2.5	1.4	2.9
<b>Agriculture, forestry, and fishing<sup>7</sup></b>		41.3	6.6	2.5	1.7	4.2	6.5	2.4	1.7	4.1
Agricultural production-crops <sup>7</sup>	01	10.0	6.6	3.3	2.4	3.3	6.5	3.3	2.4	3.2
Agricultural services	07	24.7	6.2	1.6	1.1	4.6	6.2	1.6	1.0	4.6
<b>Mining<sup>8</sup></b>		7.9	2.3	1.4	0.9	0.9	2.3	1.4	0.9	0.9
<b>Construction</b>		180.4	8.4	3.7	3.0	4.7	8.0	3.6	2.9	4.4
General building contractors	15	40.9	7.3	4.2	3.6	3.1	6.8	4.0	3.5	2.7
Residential building construction	152	15.0	2.5	1.4	1.2	1.1	2.0	1.0	0.8	1.0
Nonresidential building construction	154	24.7	10.3	6.0	5.1	4.3	9.7	6.0	5.1	3.8
Heavy construction, except building	16	24.7	8.1	4.4	3.7	3.6	7.5	3.9	3.2	3.5
Highway and street construction	161	7.2	7.0	2.5	2.2	4.5	7.0	2.5	2.2	4.5
Heavy construction, except highway	162	17.5	8.5	5.3	4.4	3.2	7.7	4.6	3.7	3.1
Special trade contractors	17	114.9	9.0	3.4	2.6	5.5	8.6	3.4	2.6	5.2
Plumbing, heating, air-conditioning	171	28.6	10.6	3.0	2.5	7.6	9.4	3.0	2.5	6.4
Electrical work	173	24.2	6.9	2.1	1.5	4.8	6.9	2.1	1.4	4.8
Miscellaneous special trade contractors	179	20.5	8.3	3.1	2.3	5.2	8.2	3.1	2.3	5.1
<b>Manufacturing</b>		591.5	9.1	4.1	1.6	5.0	8.0	3.7	1.4	4.3
Durable goods		250.5	11.6	4.9	2.0	6.7	10.1	4.4	1.9	5.7
Lumber and wood products	24	42.2	10.0	6.2	2.1	3.8	9.7	6.0	2.1	3.6
Sawmills and planing mills	242	7.8	10.1	5.0	3.5	5.1	9.9	4.9	3.4	4.9
Millwork, plywood and structural members	243	14.1	6.8	3.8	1.0	3.0	6.5	3.5	0.9	3.0
Furniture and fixtures	25	11.3	8.3	3.6	2.1	4.7	7.6	3.0	1.8	4.6
Stone, clay, and glass products	32	21.1	9.4	2.7	1.5	6.7	9.0	2.6	1.5	6.3
Primary metal industries	33	14.0	10.1	5.5	1.8	4.6	9.2	5.2	1.6	4.0
Nonferrous rolling and drawing	335	9.3	7.4	3.6	1.2	3.7	6.3	3.2	1.0	3.1
Fabricated metal products	34	24.6	13.3	6.6	2.8	6.7	13.1	6.5	2.7	6.6
Fabricated structural metal products	344	12.4	10.9	5.2	2.2	5.7	10.9	5.2	2.2	5.7
Industrial machinery and equipment	35	37.3	10.8	3.8	1.7	6.9	9.7	3.4	1.6	6.3
Electronic and other electric equipment	36	33.1	12.2	5.2	1.7	7.0	10.4	4.4	1.5	6.0
Transportation equipment	37	49.5	15.1	5.1	2.6	10.0	11.4	4.4	2.2	7.0
Motor vehicles and equipment	371	19.0	25.3	8.7	4.8	16.7	17.8	7.1	3.8	10.7
Aircraft and parts	372	21.3	10.2	2.6	1.2	7.7	8.4	2.4	1.0	6.0
Aircraft	3721	15.2	11.4	1.8	1.2	9.6	9.0	1.5	1.1	7.5
Instruments and related products	38	10.3	5.6	2.6	0.6	3.0	3.4	2.0	0.3	1.4
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	39	7.0	13.0	3.0	1.9	10.0	12.3	2.8	1.8	9.5
Nondurable goods		--	7.2	3.6	1.2	3.6	6.4	3.2	1.1	3.3
Food and kindred products	20	71.0	11.2	6.0	1.5	5.2	9.3	5.1	1.4	4.3
Meat products	201	36.9	13.0	7.6	1.4	5.4	10.1	6.0	1.2	4.1
Poultry slaughtering and processing	2015	32.4	13.0	7.9	1.1	5.2	9.9	6.2	1.1	3.7
Bakery products	205	9.1	11.1	7.3	1.8	3.8	10.5	7.0	1.7	3.5
Textile mill products	22	106.5	5.4	2.6	0.7	2.8	5.1	2.4	0.7	2.7
Broadwoven fabric mills, cotton	221	14.8	5.4	3.2	0.2	2.2	5.0	3.0	0.2	2.0
Knitting mills	225	5.9	7.7	4.0	1.1	3.7	6.4	3.3	0.7	3.1

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Carpets and rugs	227	41.5	5.4	2.6	0.8	2.8	5.2	2.5	0.7	2.7
Yarn and thread mills	228	19.0	3.4	1.3	0.3	2.1	3.1	1.2	0.3	2.0
Yarn spinning mills	2281	13.0	3.8	1.4	0.2	2.4	3.4	1.2	0.1	2.2
Apparel and other textile products	23	31.3	9.4	4.6	1.9	4.7	7.5	3.6	1.6	3.9
Men's and boys' furnishings	232	10.9	11.0	5.0	1.1	6.0	7.2	3.0	0.9	4.1
Men's and boys' trousers and slacks	2325	4.1	13.4	5.1	1.4	8.2	6.6	2.9	1.2	3.7
Women's and misses' outerwear	233	2.9	7.8	3.6	1.7	4.2	6.2	3.1	1.2	3.1
Miscellaneous fabricated textile products	239	8.8	8.0	3.5	1.6	4.5	7.4	3.0	1.4	4.4
Paper and allied products	26	33.6	6.5	2.7	1.7	3.7	6.2	2.7	1.7	3.5
Paper mills	262	6.2	7.2	2.6	1.6	4.7	6.8	2.5	1.5	4.3
Paperboard containers and boxes	265	8.6	6.8	3.3	2.2	3.5	6.4	3.2	2.2	3.2
Miscellaneous converted paper products	267	12.0	7.2	3.1	2.0	4.1	6.9	3.0	2.0	3.9
Printing and publishing	27	44.5	3.2	1.3	0.5	1.9	2.9	1.1	0.5	1.8
Newspapers	271	14.1	3.1	1.8	0.6	1.2	2.8	1.6	0.5	1.2
Commercial printing	275	17.7	4.2	1.3	0.5	2.9	4.0	1.2	0.5	2.8
Rubber and miscellaneous plastics products	30	27.2	10.3	5.8	2.4	4.5	10.1	5.7	2.3	4.4
Miscellaneous plastics products, n.e.c.	308	19.2	7.0	3.8	2.3	3.2	6.8	3.7	2.3	3.1
<b>Transportation and public utilities<sup>8</sup></b>		235.8	4.9	3.1	2.2	1.8	4.6	3.0	2.1	1.6
Railroad transportation <sup>8</sup>	40	--	2.1	1.5	1.4	0.6	2.0	1.5	1.4	0.5
Trucking and warehousing	42	59.9	6.4	4.2	3.0	2.2	--	--	3.0	--
Transportation by air	45	57.1	6.4	5.0	3.6	1.4	6.3	4.9	3.5	1.4
Air transportation, scheduled	451	53.3	6.7	5.2	3.8	1.4	6.5	5.1	3.7	1.4
Transportation services	47	16.3	1.6	0.8	0.5	0.9	1.5	0.7	0.5	0.8
Communications	48	68.6	2.0	1.2	0.9	0.9	1.8	1.0	0.7	0.7
Telephone communications	481	52.8	1.4	1.0	1.0	0.3	1.1	--	--	0.3
Electric, gas, and sanitary services	49	23.8	8.5	3.1	1.7	5.4	7.5	3.0	1.6	4.6
Electric services	491	16.8	10.8	3.7	2.0	7.1	9.5	3.5	1.9	6.0
<b>Wholesale and retail trade</b>		928.7	5.4	2.3	1.4	3.1	5.2	2.3	1.4	2.9
Wholesale trade		252.6	6.3	3.3	1.9	3.0	6.0	3.2	1.9	2.8
Wholesale trade--durable goods	50	163.8	5.7	2.7	1.5	3.0	5.4	2.6	1.5	2.8
Motor vehicles, parts, and supplies	501	17.4	10.6	4.9	3.3	5.7	9.1	4.5	3.1	4.7
Lumber and construction materials	503	12.3	9.2	4.9	1.6	4.3	8.6	4.8	1.6	3.8
Professional and commercial equipment	504	46.3	1.3	0.5	0.4	0.8	1.2	0.5	0.4	0.8
Electrical goods	506	24.6	4.4	2.1	1.2	2.3	4.1	2.0	1.2	2.1
Machinery, equipment, and supplies	508	30.2	8.3	3.8	2.4	4.6	8.3	3.8	2.4	4.5
Wholesale trade--nondurable goods	51	88.7	7.5	4.4	2.6	3.1	7.2	4.4	2.5	2.8
Groceries and related products	514	27.3	13.4	8.6	4.6	4.9	12.5	8.6	4.6	4.0
Miscellaneous nondurable goods	519	15.2	4.6	2.6	1.3	2.0	4.3	2.5	1.2	1.8
Retail trade		676.2	5.0	1.9	1.2	3.1	4.8	1.9	1.2	2.9
Building materials and garden supplies	52	33.1	6.8	3.3	1.5	3.5	6.7	3.2	1.5	3.5
Lumber and other building materials	521	22.8	7.5	3.5	1.4	4.0	7.5	3.5	1.4	4.0
General merchandise stores	53	83.7	9.1	4.0	2.1	5.1	8.6	4.0	2.1	4.6
Department stores	531	75.0	9.4	4.3	2.2	5.1	8.9	4.3	2.2	4.6
Food stores	54	105.9	5.6	1.9	1.3	3.7	5.4	1.9	1.3	3.5

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Grocery stores	541	98.1	5.7	1.7	1.2	4.0	5.4	1.7	1.2	3.7
Automotive dealers and service stations	55	71.5	4.4	1.9	1.4	2.5	4.4	1.9	1.4	2.5
New and used car dealers	551	30.3	5.6	2.4	1.8	3.2	5.6	2.4	1.8	3.2
Gasoline service stations	554	19.5	2.9	1.4	1.0	1.6	2.9	1.4	1.0	1.6
Apparel and accessory stores	56	35.2	4.1	1.7	0.6	2.4	3.9	1.6	0.6	2.3
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	57	32.2	3.2	1.2	0.6	2.0	3.2	1.2	0.6	2.0
Furniture and homefurnishings stores	571	19.7	3.7	1.5	0.7	2.2	3.7	1.5	0.7	2.2
Eating and drinking places	58	243.0	4.1	1.2	1.0	2.9	4.0	1.2	1.0	2.8
Miscellaneous retail	59	71.4	2.9	1.2	0.7	1.7	2.8	1.1	0.7	1.6
Miscellaneous shopping goods stores	594	25.9	3.1	1.3	0.7	1.8	3.1	1.3	0.7	1.7
<b>Finance, insurance, and real estate</b>		193.5	1.5	0.4	0.3	1.1	1.3	0.3	0.3	1.0
Depository institutions	60	50.2	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.6	--	0.3	0.2	0.6
Commercial banks	602	41.4	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.9	0.3	0.3	0.6
Nondepository institutions	61	26.2	0.2	( <sup>9</sup> )	( <sup>9</sup> )	0.2	0.1	( <sup>9</sup> )	( <sup>9</sup> )	0.1
Insurance carriers	63	36.9	2.5	0.6	0.4	1.9	2.1	0.5	0.4	1.6
Real estate	65	38.8	2.6	0.6	0.5	2.0	2.5	0.6	0.5	1.9
<b>Services</b>		903.5	4.4	1.8	1.1	2.6	4.2	1.8	1.1	2.5
Hotels and other lodging places	70	44.5	6.3	3.4	2.4	2.9	6.3	3.4	2.4	2.9
Hotels and motels	701	43.9	6.3	3.4	2.4	2.9	6.3	3.4	2.4	2.9
Personal services	72	33.6	3.0	1.0	0.7	2.0	3.0	1.0	0.7	2.0
Business services	73	287.4	3.3	1.5	0.7	1.8	3.1	1.5	0.7	1.6
Services to buildings	734	26.4	3.8	1.5	1.2	2.4	3.6	1.5	1.2	2.1
Auto repair, services, and parking	75	34.2	3.5	1.8	1.2	1.7	3.5	1.8	1.2	1.7
Automotive repair shops	753	17.9	1.5	0.8	0.5	0.8	1.5	0.8	0.5	0.7
Amusement and recreation services	79	32.7	5.4	1.7	1.0	3.8	5.2	1.6	1.0	3.5
Health services	80	234.6	7.3	2.7	1.5	4.6	7.1	2.7	1.5	4.4
Nursing and personal care facilities	805	37.3	12.1	6.9	2.8	5.2	12.1	6.9	2.8	5.2
Hospitals	806	92.6	10.1	3.3	2.0	6.8	9.6	3.2	2.0	6.4

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Educational services	82	38.1	3.8	1.1	0.7	2.8	3.6	1.0	0.7	2.6
Colleges and universities	822	22.7	4.7	1.1	0.8	3.5	4.4	1.1	0.8	3.3
Social services	83	50.2	3.9	1.5	1.1	2.4	3.9	1.5	1.1	2.4
Child day care services	835	25.6	2.2	0.7	0.5	1.5	2.2	0.7	0.5	1.5
Engineering and management services	87	82.1	1.7	0.7	--	1.0	1.6	0.7	--	1.0

<sup>1</sup> Incidence rates represent the number of injuries and illnesses per 100 full-time workers and were calculated as: (N/EH) x 200,000 where

N = number of injuries and illnesses  
 EH = total hours worked by all employees during the calendar year  
 200,000 = base for 100 equivalent full-time workers (working 40 hours per week, 50 weeks per year).

<sup>2</sup> Totals include data for industries not shown separately.

<sup>3</sup> *Standard Industrial Classification Manual*, 1987 Edition.

<sup>4</sup> Employment is expressed as an annual average and is derived primarily from the BLS-State Covered Employment and Wages program. Employment in private households (SIC 88) is excluded.

<sup>5</sup> Total lost workday cases involve days away from work, or days of restricted work activity, or both.

<sup>6</sup> Days-away-from-work cases include those which result in days away from

work with or without restricted work activity.

<sup>7</sup> Excludes farms with fewer than 11 employees.

<sup>8</sup> Data conforming to OSHA definitions for mining operators in coal, metal, and nonmetal mining and for employers in railroad transportation are provided to BLS by the Mine Safety and Health Administration, U.S. Department of Labor; and the Federal Railroad Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation. Independent mining contractors are excluded from the coal, metal, and nonmetal mining industries.

<sup>9</sup> Incidence rate less than 0.05.

NOTE: Because of rounding, components may not add to totals.

n.e.c. = not elsewhere classified.

-- Indicates data not available.

SOURCE: Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Survey of Occupational Injuries and Illnesses, in cooperation with participating State agencies.